

THREE TRAGIC DEATHS OVER WEEK-END

LEADING SCIENTISTS FROM TORONTO CONVENTION ARE MAKING BRIEF VISIT HERE

Two Parties of British Association for the Advancement of Science Arrive From Toronto Meetings; Civic Dinner To-night.

Among leading members of the British Association for the Advancement of Science, who arrived on their transcontinental journey to-day, Victoria greeted men and women who are in the vanguard of original thinking. The Toronto meeting, fourth to be held in Canada, and sixth outside the British Isles, recently drew a very large gathering of eminent men from across the seas, and being close to the centres of population in the United States, the sister organization of the American society was able to be amply represented.

NOTABLE VISITORS
Some of the most distinguished members of the British Association who have accepted the invitation for to-day's functions here are:
Major-General Sir David Bruce, president of the association, and Lady Bruce.
Sir William Bragg, the eminent physicist, Lady Bragg, and Miss Bragg.
Sir Charles Parsons, the engineer, and Lady Parsons. Sir Charles was president of the association in 1920.
Sir John Russell, the accomplished head of Rothamsted Experimental Station, and Lady Russell.
Lord Bledisloe, perhaps the leading authority on agriculture in England, and adviser to the British Government.
Sir Henry New, authority on food supplies, and Lady New.
Sir Thomas Holland, mining engineer, director of the Indian Geological Survey.
Sir Richard Paget and Miss Paget.
Sir William Beveridge, director of the London School of Economics.
Professor Eddington, the leading British authority on the Einstein (Continued on page 7)

REPARATIONS PLAN OPPOSED IN GERMANY

Nationalist Party Fights Against Bills in the Reichstag
Work of London Conference Was Approved by French Chamber

Berlin, Aug. 25.—Dr. Pörgl, German National Party leader, to-day informed the Reichstag his party disapproved the reparations agreement reached at the London International Conference and would oppose all bills designed to put it into effect.

FRENCH APPROVAL
Paris, Aug. 25.—The Chamber of Deputies gave its approval to the London Conference methods for putting the Dawes plan into execution and voted confidence in Premier Herriot's Government, 236 to 204, some twenty-six more votes than its normal majority. The debate began Thursday afternoon and ended at 4:30 o'clock Sunday morning. Thirty-five hours of the time was spent in speech-making.

After the Communists had succeeded in disturbing the first day's debate by noisy rowdiness, the discussion maintained a high level, devoid of unseemly incidents which so frequently mar the Chamber's proceedings.

SPOKE EARNESTLY
The impassioned tone of M. Herriot in his speech Saturday night (Continued on page 2)

WILSON PACKING COMPANY IN U.S. IN RECEIVER'S HANDS

Trenton, N.J., Aug. 25.—Wilson & Company, Inc., one of the largest packing establishments, has been placed in the hands of a receiver. On complaint of Maurice I. Klein of Newark, Vice-Chancellor John H. Backus has temporarily named State Banking Commissioner Edward Maxwell receiver.

In a lengthy complaint attached to the insolvency charge of Klein, it is alleged the packing concern is indebted to various banking institutions for nearly \$20,000,000, and has a funded debt outstanding of \$47,177,000.

Thunderstorms in France and Crops Damaged by Hail

Paris, Aug. 25.—France has just passed through one of the worst summer weeks ever recorded by the weather man. Day after day there was a rapid succession of violent thunderstorms, accompanied in many cases by hail, which caused sad havoc among the vineyard crops.

IS PRESIDENT OF THE BRITISH ASSOCIATION



SIR DAVID BRUCE

The eminent specialist and authority on tropical disease heads the party of British scientists to arrive here to-day.

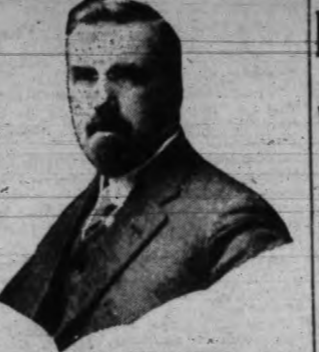
Woman Nominee For Election as Texas Governor

Dallas, Texas, Aug. 25.—Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson of Temple, wife of former Governor Jas. E. Ferguson, is Democratic nominee for Governor of Texas, returns from Saturday's run-off primary giving her a majority of more than 80,000 votes over Felix D. Robertson of Dallas, endorsed by the Ku Klux Klan.

TEN NATIVES HURT IN A RELIGIOUS RIOT IN BENGAL VILLAGE

Calcutta, Aug. 25.—Ten natives, including a magistrate and two policemen, were reported to have been injured in religious rioting at the village of Jamshastami last Friday night. It was necessary for the police to fire on the rioters.

PRESIDES AT LIBRARY SESSION HERE THIS WEEK



JOHN RIDINGTON

Mr. Ridington is the Librarian of the University of British Columbia, an appointment he received shortly after his organization. The library, which is to be housed in a new building at Point Grey, part of which is under construction, now has 50,000 volumes. He is serving his second term as president, having occupied the chair at the Vancouver meeting five years ago. Born in England, Mr. Ridington was educated at the University of London, and immediately on completing his college work came to Canada in 1922. He taught in the Manitoba schools, and later ran a newspaper at Carberry, Man. Then for a time he was editorial writer on The Manitoba Free Press, before coming to the Coast.

LIBRARIANS OF PACIFIC NORTHWEST ARE GATHERED HERE IN ANNUAL PARLEY

Large Convention Opened This Afternoon; the Relation of the Library as a Factor in Adult Education Theme of Three Days' Meeting Here.

Librarians from all parts of the Pacific Northwest arrived in Victoria to-day to hold the annual convention of the Pacific Northwest Librarians Association, a chapter of the American Library Association. It is a long time since the gathering was held in Victoria, the previous conference here being in 1911, before the present handsome Provincial Library was erected. The presidency is held for a second term by John Ridington, of the University of British Columbia library, and among the visitors are several leading figures, including Judson T. Jennings, of Seattle, the retiring president of the American Library Association.

The library as a factor in adult education will be the general theme of discussion, and the presidential address of Mr. Ridington, to be delivered this evening, will stress the value of libraries as aids to educational progress, as demonstrated by the new place of books in education.

SOCIAL SIDE
Following the convention business, which will occupy the time until Wednesday evening, there will be a drive on Thursday morning to the Dominion Observatory and the Butchart Gardens, and in the afternoon there will be a garden party at Government House. In the evening receptions will be held at the public and provincial libraries. On Friday the party will move to Vancouver, where they will be the guests of the city of Vancouver, including a visit to the new University building, where among other buildings the new library block is rising. There will be a motor yacht cruise to Howe Sound later in the day.

LEADING FIGURES
Some of the leading men at the convention are:
Judson T. Jennings, Librarian of the Seattle Public Library, and retiring president of the American Library Association. (Continued on page 2)

MAN JOURNEYED IN CANOE TO ST. JOHN FROM SYDNEY, N.S.

St. John, N.B., Aug. 25.—G. H. Smythe, Toronto, arrived here Saturday night in a canoe in which he had paddled from Sydney, N.S., in seventeen days of travel. Smythe is on his way to Rome, which he expects to reach in January, 1925. His next objective is New York, where he will board a steamship for England. He hopes to paddle from England to Italy.

Mars Photographs Said To Indicate Atmosphere

San Jose, Cal., Aug. 25.—Photographs of Mars taken by Dr. W. H. Wright at the Lick Observatory on Mount Hamilton, near here, where observations of the planet have been under way for a week, indicate the existence of atmosphere on the planet, according to a statement issued by him.

Cautioning that the observations have no relation whatever to the question of whether Mars is inhabited, Dr. Wright said: "In my observation of Mars I have photographed the planet by the light of three different colors, violet, yellow and the extreme or infra-red.

NELSON RESULT DECISIVE; PLEASES GOVERNMENT HEADS

Leaders See it as General McRae's Finish, Ending Minority Rule Talk

Premier to get Reception To-night on Way Through Vancouver

Vancouver, Aug. 25.—Hon. John Oliver, Premier of British Columbia, and member-elect for Nelson, will reach Vancouver at 10:30 o'clock this evening. He will be given a tumultuous reception at the C.P.R. depot by local Liberals.

The Premier will not remain long here, just before train time for the Victoria boat. But in this time local Liberals will show by the planned demonstration their appreciation for the victory of the Premier in Nelson on Saturday when he was elected over Harry Houston by a majority of 338.

WANTS MORE TROUBLE
Nelson, Aug. 25.—R. H. Pooley, Conservative leader, left for the coast last night after predicting there would be a provincial general election within two months. "And the next time I shall have no doubt of the result."

Nelson, Aug. 25.—Nelson, usually regarded as Conservative, is now represented in the Legislature by the Liberal Premier, John Oliver. In the by-election Saturday to fill the seat vacated by Kenneth Campbell, the vote was:
Hon. John Oliver, Liberal 1124
Harry Houston, "Citizens" 780
Majority for Oliver 338

Mr. Houston met the parade of hundreds of cars and automobiles celebrating the Premier's victory, and congratulating him. He was carried in the party for a block and unexampled cheering.

The Premier left for Victoria last night, a crowd of 100 seeing him off with cheers.

Mon. William Sloan is at Proctor.

McRae's Finish Dr. MacLean Says of Nelson Result

Nelson and the Premier's victory this mark the finish of General A. D. McRae as a politician, according to Hon. J. H. MacLean, Provincial Secretary.

The handsome majority which the Premier received was a complete answer to those persons who claimed that the Premier personally had forfeited the confidence of the public," Dr. MacLean said. (Continued on page 2)

MOSQUITOES STOP CHICAGO HOLDING OPEN AIR AFFAIRS

Chicago, Aug. 25.—Mosquitoes, which have been swarming about the city for several days, have become so numerous that open air affairs are being banned and authorities are taking action.

BOY DIES FROM VICTORIA TEACHER MEETS INJURIES CAUSED BY FLAMING GAS

Walter S. Pickard, 12-Year-Old Son of Victoria Parents, Fatally Burned

Elder Brother Struggles Manfully to Put Out Flames; Without Avail

Forming the third fatality that has shaken Victoria homes within the past forty-eight hours, death at 6 o'clock this morning overtook Walter Scott Pickard, twelve-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pickard, 182 Gorge Road West, following fatal burns received on Saturday evening. The two boys wanted some gasoline, and proceeded to siphon it out of a tank in the garage. It was dark at the time, and the elder boy, it is understood, struck a match to see where things lay.

CLOTHING CAUGHT FIRE
In some manner not yet ascertained the clothing of the younger boy caught fire about the legs, possibly from drops of gasoline spilled during the siphoning process. With great presence of mind the older boy flung his brother to the floor and tried to smother the flames with his own body. The little fellow, painfully burned about the legs, struggled, succeeded in getting his feet apart.

Shortly after this Mrs. Pickard arrived from the house, attracted by the cries, and wrapped the little sufferer in a blanket, extinguishing the flames. In the meantime, however, Walter Pickard had sustained painful injuries. He was attended almost immediately by Dr. Melbourne Rayner, who left nothing undone that could have been done to ease his sufferings.

The little fellow succumbed at 6 a.m. to-day from the shock of his injuries.

TWELVE YEARS OLD
Walter Scott Pickard was born at Calgary, Alta., twelve years ago, and had only celebrated his twelfth birthday eleven days ago. He was the second son of Mr. and Mrs. Pickard.

Walter Pickard Sr. is a well known business man of this city, taking over with Burt Town, the premises operated by the former Gordons Limited. The remains were taken to the McCall Funeral premises. The time of the inquest has not yet been arranged.

Ten Were Killed When Church Was Wrecked by Wind

New Orleans, La., Aug. 25.—Ten persons were killed and nine injured when a tornado demolished St. Philip's Church at St. Patrie, La., about forty miles from here, at 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

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DINNER WAGON WASHES DISHES ON WAY TO KITCHEN

Gerard's Crossing, Eng., Aug. 25.—Mrs. Mary Bolton has invented a dinner wagon which automatically washes the dishes while they are being wheeled into the kitchen.

Mrs. Bolton is the daughter of an inventor and the great-niece of Sir Humphrey Davy, who originated the Davy safety lamp used in mines.

DEATH IN TRAGEDY AT SHAWNIGAN LAKE SUNDAY

T. W. Cornett, College and High School Lecturer, Collapses in Water and is Drowned; Cut Off as Brilliant Future Seemed Assured in Field of Education in B.C.

Shawnigan Lake, Aug. 25. (Times Staff Special).—Before the eyes of his wife and seven-year-old daughter, Prof. T. W. Cornett of Victoria College and Victoria High School, met sudden death in the lake here yesterday afternoon.

Two hours after lunch, the father, mother and daughter, accompanied by Miss Mary Allison who was staying with them at their summer house on the North Shore Road, next to the Lonsdale School, went down to the water for their afternoon swim. The three were on the shore when Mr. Cornett started out to swim a short distance across the little inlet to White's Point.

When he was well on his way across, he threw one of his arms out of the water and in a distressed voice cried "Help, Mary." It is presumed that he called to Miss Allison as he knew she was the only one in his family party who could swim at all.

As he uttered this cry he disappeared below the water and from the sight of his wife and child and persons around the shore.

When she saw her husband go down suddenly with the appeal for help on his lips, Mrs. Cornett let out a piercing cry which brought persons and boats rushing from the camps and summer houses around that part of the lake.

SWAM TO AID
Harry Gilliland, a friend of Mr. Cornett and also a High School teacher, rushed out from the shore in his clothes to the spot where Mr. Cornett had gone down. He could see the body lying on the bottom of the lake in several feet of water. Mr. Gilliland attempted to dive to reach it, but not being an expert diver could not get down to the bottom.

With an oar he was able to reach the body from a boat and pull it up before it had been in the water more than several minutes.

Artificial respiration was tried, but without stimulating the slightest spark of life.

HEART FAILURE
Dr. King, a former pupil of Mr. Cornett at the High School, arrived soon afterwards. On an examination he found that Mr. Cornett had collapsed from heart failure while swimming, but had no pulse. After using the cry for help he had gone straight down and his body remained on the bottom without coming to the surface.

The body was carried up the hill to the Cornett house from where it was brought to Victoria this morning. There was no inquest, but Mrs. Cornett went to Victoria this morning for the formal inquest. She is on her way down to Victoria this afternoon.

News of the tragedy spread rapidly around the lake and a cloud of depression over the week-end holiday crowds, gathering at the railway station to return to Victoria on the late afternoon train.

The Cornetts had taken the house for the summer holiday. Yesterday was their last full holiday at the lake as they were planning to pack up to-day and return to Victoria tomorrow, in preparation for the opening of the Fall school term next week.

The last thing Mr. Cornett did before going down to the water was to kiss his wife and Miss Allison. (Continued on Page 2)

Second Oil Well of Company in Alberta Producer

Edmonton, Aug. 25.—Newton W. Emmens, geologist and field superintendent of British Petroleum Ltd., last night announced that well No. 4 of the company had been "brought in" as an oil producer on Saturday. Oil was found in the same layer of sand that made No. 3 a producer. Mr. Emmens refused to make any estimate of the volume of oil.

Disarmament Conference May Soon Be Summoned

Ottawa, Aug. 25 (Canadian Press).—Discussions at the forthcoming sessions of the Fifth Assembly of the League of Nations, which is to open in Geneva on September 1, will be followed here with unusual interest, particularly in their bearing on disarmament. There is a strong feeling in official circles that another international conference to review limitation of armaments is a probable development of the discussions. When the draft of the Treaty for Mutual Assistance was under consideration by the British Government, it was understood, indicated the British Government would welcome such a conference. Disarmament will first come before the Assembly on a report from

its temporary mixed commission. Subsequently a proposal submitted by the Baldwin Government of Great Britain in July, 1923, will be considered.

News dispatches from Geneva indicating the draft Treaty for Mutual Assistance is to be withdrawn were rather expected here. The Treaty of Mutual Assistance was merely circulated among members of the League and their opinion thereon was sought.

The present Government of Great Britain strongly opposed it and in the British view the Dominion's consent would be a serious blow to the League. The view taken by Premier MacDonald was that the Treaty of Mutual Assistance might lead to an increase rather than a decrease in armaments.

CLUB TO ENTERTAIN PRINCE OF WALES

Polo Dinner September 3 on Long Island; Dance Will Follow it

Locust Valley, Long Island, Aug. 25 (Canadian Press).—The fashionable colony here is awaiting eagerly the visit of the Prince of Wales, for the limelight surrounding the Prince's stay on Long Island will be largely in this and the Meadowbrook section.

The first large fete in honor of the Prince will be held at the Piping Rock Club in the form of a polo dinner on the night of September 3. One hundred and fifty prominent men will be present, and the officers and board of governors of the club will act as hosts to the Prince and members of the British Embassy staff and the visiting British polo team.

The dinner will be followed by a dinner dance at Clarence W. Mackay's place at Roslyn on the night of September 6.

AT COUNTRY HOME

As previously announced, the Prince is to make his headquarters at Woodside, the country home of Mr. and Mrs. Abercrombie Burden at Syosset, just a few miles from the Piping Rock Club.

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Vancouver Island News

ASSOCIATION HOLDS SUCCESSFUL PICNIC

Special to The Times

Duncan, Aug. 23.—The London and Middlesex (Ontario) Old Boys' Association held their annual picnic on Friday at the Indian Mission grounds, Koksilah. Some forty people attended and as usual all had a most delightful time.

Mr. Ashe acted as starter for the programme of sports arranged, which were as follows:

Girls, 10 years and under—Agnes Phillips; 12 years and under—Edna Eveleigh; 14 years and under—Willie Robson.

Girls, three-legged race—1. Willie Robson and Hazel Henderson; 2. Agnes Phillips and Violet Eveleigh.

Married ladies' race—1. Mrs. Alec Campbell; 2. Mrs. Robson.

Clothes pin race—1. Mrs. Alec Campbell; 2. Miss O. Fleming.

Newspaper race—1. Mr. Robson; 2. Hugh Ferguson.

Children's bean race—Reggie Cooper.

Men's bean race—1. T. C. Robson; 2. Hugh Ferguson.

Ladies' bean race—1. Miss Fleming; 2. Mrs. John Baker.

Hard race—Willie Robson and T. C. Robson.

Wheelbarrow race—Miss Fleming and Hugh Ferguson.

Children's race—Edna Eveleigh and Gerald Eveleigh.

Ladies' three-legged race—Mrs. Baker and Mrs. Highted.

After the picnic a meeting was held for the organization of officers, etc., for the coming year. Those elected were: President, W. M. Fleming; vice-president, Mrs. Highted; secretary, Miss Fleming; directors, Mrs. Ashe, Mrs. Baker and Mrs. Alec Campbell.

RETURNS TO HOSPITAL

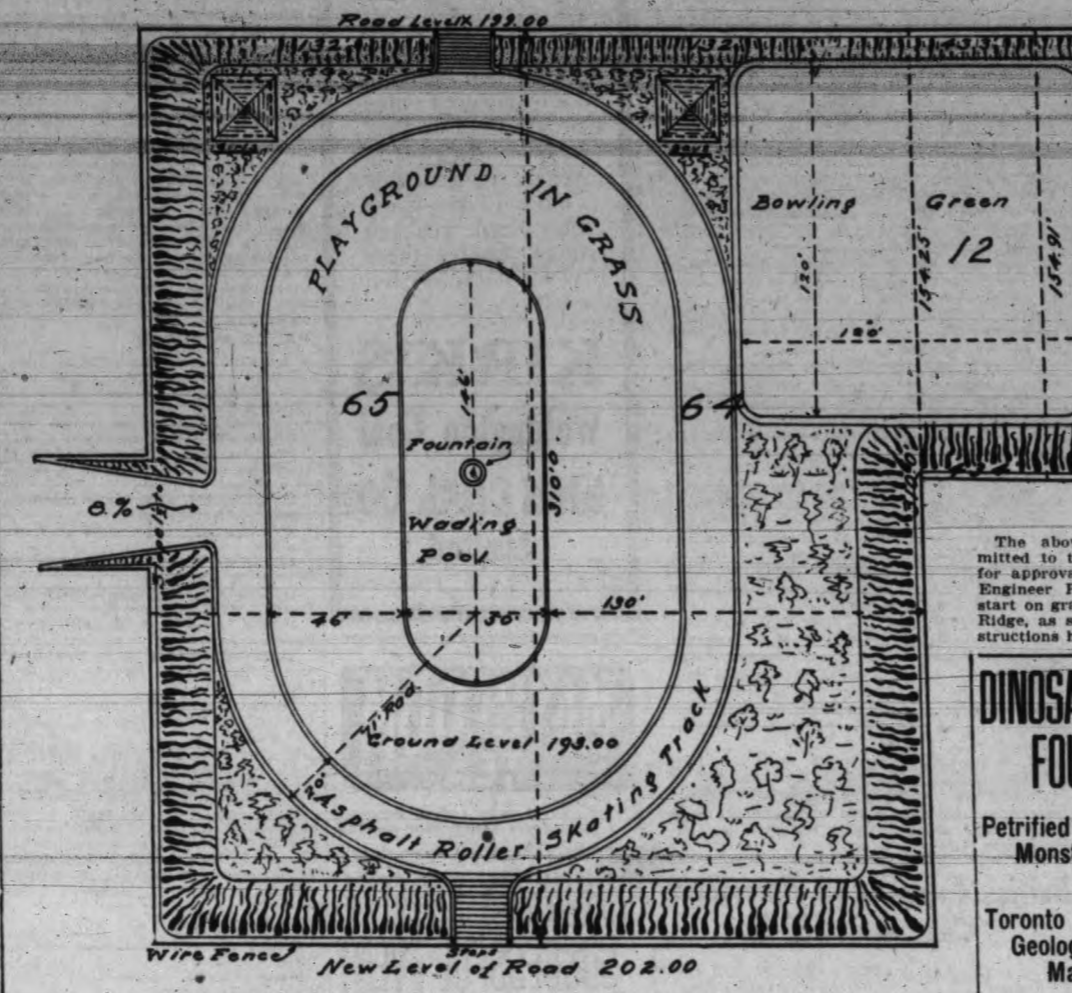
(Special to The Times)

Duncan, Aug. 23.—William McFadden has returned to the Duncan Hospital for further treatment as the result of his self-inflicted wound which occurred during his alleged attack on his wife last week. He was removed for eight days when he came up for preliminary hearing. McFadden was taken to Victoria

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GLADSTONE AVENUE

DINOSAUR FOSSILS FOUND IN ALBERTA

Petrified Bones of Prehistoric Monsters to Be Sent to Toronto

Toronto University Men and Geological Survey Men Made Discoveries

Edmonton, Aug. 25 (Canadian Press Staff Correspondent). Fossils of two dinosaurs have been located in the Red Deer Valley this summer by the University of Toronto expedition, composed of four scientists who have been prospecting for several weeks in the district and are now packing up the prehistoric monsters for shipment to the Royal Ontario Museum. Another skeleton has been located by the Geological Survey of Canada. It is likely that it is a new species, but the find is representative in the three sets of remains, but it will be some time before the scientists have examined them.

"It will take several months to mount the bones," said Dr. W. A. Parks, who is the director of the Toronto party, in discussing the find. The river has made a slit through the earth's crust, in which the history of the rocks, plants and animals of bygone days is plainly written.

After being given gas by a dentist, Miss Beatrice Anderson of West Waukegan, Ont., recovered only for an instant, immediately relapsing into unconsciousness, which was followed by death.

The Prince received the newspapermen Sunday evening and expressed his appreciation of the papers' recognition of the holiday character of his tour. He hoped this would continue on the other side of the Atlantic.

He dined last night in the main saloon, inviting Lady Diana Duff Cooper, formerly Lady Diana Manners, and her husband, Major Duff Cooper, to his table.

The stermship Mauretania, when passing the Berengaria Saturday night, signalled the vessel to come on board for a pleasant voyage for the Prince of Wales.

The Prince replied with a cordial message.

Major Hensley's plane will be equipped with one of the newest type signal corps radio transmitting sets. On sighting the Berengaria the major will take the vessel to the liner Berengaria if they care to tune in, the Radio Corporation of America announced to-day. The voice they will hear will be that of Major William Hensley Jr., commander of Mitchell Field, who will fly his plane over the Berengaria as she enters the harbor.

These 32 pounds are divided among four state troopers whose height totals twenty-four feet three inches. The young giants are Sergeant Douglas Hock who is six feet, two inches tall and weighs 216 pounds; Corporal Andrew Grimes, six feet one inch and 230 pounds; Trooper J. H. Taylor, six feet and 205 pounds; and Trooper Leo Brett, six feet and 201 pounds.

These four men, residents of White Plains, will meet the Prince when the Berengaria docks about August 29. They will not leave the Prince as long as he is in New York, according to Captain L. F. Toby of Troop K, who announced the appointments to-day.

Edinburgh, Scotland, Aug. 24.—Two earth shocks coming at short intervals Friday night, rocked the villages of Speenbridge, Poybridge and Gairloch, in the Lochaber district of Inverness, and caused considerable damage to property were reported.

Nelson, Aug. 25.—A freight engine shunting near the Centre Star mine, above Rossland, got away on a down-grade and jumped the track on a curve Saturday morning, landing in Sam Reid's orchard after a twenty-five-foot drop. Engineer Woolf, Fireman G. B. Russell and Brakeman Sam Jackson, all of Nelson, jumped safely. The engine was wrecked.

In arranging your summer trip, you will be pleased to learn that the existing 1917 rates will be two sailings of the Motor Princess between Bellingham and Sidney, leaving Sidney for Bellingham at 10.45 a.m. and 6.10 p.m., from Bellingham to Sidney at 1 a.m. and 2.30 p.m., daily, including Sunday.

If you have not made the circuit, which you can do by also including the trip between Vancouver and Nanaimo, with sailings from Vancouver at 5 a.m. and 1 p.m. (for all-sized cars), 10 a.m. and 5.30 p.m. (for smaller cars), daily except Sunday; sailings from Nanaimo to Vancouver at 7 a.m. daily except Sunday and Monday (for small cars), 2.15 p.m. daily except Sunday (for small cars), 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. (for all-sized cars) daily, including Sunday.

"When a difference of opinion on the interpretation of the Railway Act arises, the Commission is naturally the body to decide the dispute. It must decide whether there has been unjust discrimination or not. It has also held that this cannot be done by the application of a hard and fast rule, but that every case must be considered on its merits. This was laid down in the Board's judgment in the Western Rates Case.

"The statement that there has only been one opinion, namely, that the Crow's Nest commodity rates should be applied to all the existing Canadian Pacific mileage, is unfounded. In this connection the opinions of Mr. Justice Killam, Mr. Justice MacBee and Sir Henry Drayton are cited to the effect that to deny the same commodity rates to territory other than that existing in 1917, would be to create unjust discrimination, which could not be permitted.

"Leaving aside for the moment the opinions of these first two authorities, let us consider that of Sir Henry Drayton, given in his 1917 judgment increasing rates, in which he is quoted as saying he was of the opinion that discrimination should be avoided and that 'the effect of the Crow's Nest Pass Agreement must be extended to the system of the company as a day operated'.

"Those who complain of the action of the railways contend that the Crow's Nest Pass commodity rates should apply to the whole railway territory irrespective of what the effect in earnings may be. But this

has not been the principle followed in interpreting the Railway Act. On the other hand the attitude of Parliament and the legislatures and of the Railway Commission towards the railways have always been that they must be allowed to have a fair and reasonable profit, and usually something more in surplus earnings to form a reserve.

"Those who clamor for the widest possible application of the Crow's Nest Pass commodity rates, and who insist that this should be done without even the Railway Commission hearing the case, show an utter disregard of the effects on the Canadian national railways. Last year in their Western region they had an operating deficit of \$2,020,709. With the return of the Crow's Nest Pass commodity rates this year, and would be much greater if such rates were applied to the whole railway territory.

"The Railway Commission has held that a railway owned by the Government has just as much right to reasonable rates as has a privately owned system. In 1917 Sir Henry Drayton in the Increase of Rates Case, said:

"There is no reason why the business of the Canadian Northern should be conducted at a loss simply because a Government owns it. Under the Railway Act the Board certainly cannot deny the people as a whole a rate which would be fair to individuals when owning the transportation system. It appears that a national railway, just as much as any other railway, ought to be operated so as to cover the cost. The interest cost on the Canadian Northern securities certainly cannot be looked on as negligible and a matter of no moment to the country."

"Referring to the Grand Trunk Pacific, Sir Henry Drayton in giving the Commission's opinion in the Western Rates Case, said:

"Probably the worst service the Board could do to the people of the West would be making, as they have been requested to make, such a scale of rates as would effectually prevent the fruition of the project and condemn it to insolvency before the line as a whole is actually constructed."

"From the foregoing it is plain that because of the difference of opinion existing over the extent of the terri-

torial to which the Crow's Nest Pass Agreement should apply, the only course which the railways in justice to themselves and the public as a whole could take, was to file tariffs based on what they were advised was the correct interpretation of the Crow's Nest Pass Act."

London, Aug. 25 (Canadian Press Cable). The attention of the Canadian High Commissioner's office has been drawn to the fact that while the Canadian Government is attempting to attract settlers, others who have already settled in Canada are writing British newspapers discouraging reports of conditions and prospects there. One writer in a letter from Revelstoke, B.C., affirms that Alberta farmers are reduced to wearing flour bags in lieu of orthodox garments.

"Apart from such inaccuracies," says an official of the High Commissioner's office, "writers of letters to newspapers studiously avoid such facts as last year's record harvest and the equally striking immigration boom. Unfortunately those who succeed rarely think of backing Ottawa's efforts by writing to the British press about their success. They leave the letter-writing to others who while grumbling, still find Canada a desirable country to live in."

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FAIR WEATHER FOR VOYAGE OF PRINCE

Radio Tells of Journey of Heir to British Throne
King and Queen May Hear Welcome Given at N.Y.

Penitentiaries and Young or Mild Offenders

By DR. J. G. SHEARER
Social Service Council of Canada

The writer recently found himself a fellow passenger with two young men, fifteen and seventeen years of age, who were in handcuffs on their way to a penitentiary under sentence of three years for house-breaking and stealing. Unless paroled meantime these boys must associate more or less closely with a large number of experienced, expert and hardened criminals for three years. Whatever they were on entering the penitentiary there is little room for doubt as to what they will be when they leave, in spite of the influence of excellent guards, Chaplains, Salvation Army and the like.

Is it right, is it socially wise, to expose young fellows (for whom surely there is good hope of restoration to virtue and good citizenship) to such a seriously demoralizing influence for so long a period? There can hardly be two answers to this question. Besides, society has a large measure of responsibility for their being law breakers at all. Born of parents weak or worse, allowed to play truant from school, educational curriculum and methods ill adapted to their special needs, no supervising recreational facilities, open pool rooms and consequent companionship with older boys already criminal, make the beginning of crime for lads easy. Is not society under the greater moral obligation to make it possible, as easy as possible, for them to get back to a life of self-respect and social decency? Instead, society compels them to herd for years with worse criminals, where they get a thorough schooling in real crime before they get a second chance to go straight. There is a better way.

For delinquents within the age of juvenility (seventeen and eighteen in some provinces, sixteen in most) the Juvenile Delinquents Act should be in force and Juvenile Courts set up. The law is forbidden and if probation fails, the Industrial School with others of their own age and say under twenty-one. Reformatories should be provided where restoration rather than punishment is the ideal and object, and where work, training, recreation, amusement and religious influence all combine to build up character, make life interesting and put these youngsters beyond the likelihood, if not the possibility, of resorting to crime in the coming days of freedom.

In England, what is called the System has been in operation for many years. To these reform schools all prisoners from sixteen to twenty-one are sent. They are as little like prisons and as much like schools as they can be made. The result is that only a very small proportion of these young people return to the reformatory or go on to the penitentiary. It is a social crime of the first magnitude for Canada or any of her Provinces, for lack of reformatory schools whether for false economy or for sheer indifference, to banish young people of either sex to a penitentiary where they can hardly escape the demoralization of character and a schooling in crime and vice. And our Governments will make provision as soon as they know the serious people make the demand. This constitutes at once a challenge to, and an opportunity of, ministering in His Name, to these little ones whose plight is indeed sorry and whose need is very great.

Four Guards For Prince of Wales in City of New York

White Plains, N.Y., Aug. 25.—Eight hundred and fifty-two pounds of young manhood is to form a bulwark between the Prince of Wales and uninvited persons who endeavor to force their attentions upon him. These 32 pounds are divided among four state troopers whose height totals twenty-four feet three inches. The young giants are Sergeant Douglas Hock who is six feet, two inches tall and weighs 216 pounds; Corporal Andrew Grimes, six feet one inch and 230 pounds; Trooper J. H. Taylor, six feet and 205 pounds; and Trooper Leo Brett, six feet and 201 pounds.

These four men, residents of White Plains, will meet the Prince when the Berengaria docks about August 29. They will not leave the Prince as long as he is in New York, according to Captain L. F. Toby of Troop K, who announced the appointments to-day.

Young Woman Died In Office of Dentist

Ottawa, Aug. 25.—A comparatively small number of violent deaths occurred in Eastern Canada over the week-end.

Gashed by glass from the windshield when the automobile driven by his father collided with another car, Rene Demers, ten, of Montreal, was instantly killed.

Edward Link of Leamington, Ont., died shortly after the car in which he was riding, plunged into a ditch.

Mrs. Joseph Bouchard of St. Joseph d'Alma, Que., died of injuries received when a horse drawing a carriage in which she was riding bolted.

After being given gas by a dentist, Miss Beatrice Anderson of West Waukegan, Ont., recovered only for an instant, immediately relapsing into unconsciousness, which was followed by death.

Scottish Villages Felt Earthquakes

Residents in Inverness Alarmed, But no Casualties Reported

Edinburgh, Scotland, Aug. 24.—Two earth shocks coming at short intervals Friday night, rocked the villages of Speenbridge, Poybridge and Gairloch, in the Lochaber district of Inverness, and caused considerable damage to property were reported.

Nelson, Aug. 25.—A freight engine shunting near the Centre Star mine, above Rossland, got away on a down-grade and jumped the track on a curve Saturday morning, landing in Sam Reid's orchard after a twenty-five-foot drop. Engineer Woolf, Fireman G. B. Russell and Brakeman Sam Jackson, all of Nelson, jumped safely. The engine was wrecked.

In arranging your summer trip, you will be pleased to learn that the existing 1917 rates will be two sailings of the Motor Princess between Bellingham and Sidney, leaving Sidney for Bellingham at 10.45 a.m. and 6.10 p.m., from Bellingham to Sidney at 1 a.m. and 2.30 p.m., daily, including Sunday.

If you have not made the circuit, which you can do by also including the trip between Vancouver and Nanaimo, with sailings from Vancouver at 5 a.m. and 1 p.m. (for all-sized cars), 10 a.m. and 5.30 p.m. (for smaller cars), daily except Sunday; sailings from Nanaimo to Vancouver at 7 a.m. daily except Sunday and Monday (for small cars), 2.15 p.m. daily except Sunday (for small cars), 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. (for all-sized cars) daily, including Sunday.

"When a difference of opinion on the interpretation of the Railway Act arises, the Commission is naturally the body to decide the dispute. It must decide whether there has been unjust discrimination or not. It has also held that this cannot be done by the application of a hard and fast rule, but that every case must be considered on its merits. This was laid down in the Board's judgment in the Western Rates Case.

"The statement that there has only been one opinion, namely, that the Crow's Nest commodity rates should be applied to all the existing Canadian Pacific mileage, is unfounded. In this connection the opinions of Mr. Justice Killam, Mr. Justice MacBee and Sir Henry Drayton are cited to the effect that to deny the same commodity rates to territory other than that existing in 1917, would be to create unjust discrimination, which could not be permitted.

"Leaving aside for the moment the opinions of these first two authorities, let us consider that of Sir Henry Drayton, given in his 1917 judgment increasing rates, in which he is quoted as saying he was of the opinion that discrimination should be avoided and that 'the effect of the Crow's Nest Pass Agreement must be extended to the system of the company as a day operated'.

"Those who complain of the action of the railways contend that the Crow's Nest Pass commodity rates should apply to the whole railway territory irrespective of what the effect in earnings may be. But this

has not been the principle followed in interpreting the Railway Act. On the other hand the attitude of Parliament and the legislatures and of the Railway Commission towards the railways have always been that they must be allowed to have a fair and reasonable profit, and usually something more in surplus earnings to form a reserve.

"Those who clamor for the widest possible application of the Crow's Nest Pass commodity rates, and who insist that this should be done without even the Railway Commission hearing the case, show an utter disregard of the effects on the Canadian national railways. Last year in their Western region they had an operating deficit of \$2,020,709. With the return of the Crow's Nest Pass commodity rates this year, and would be much greater if such rates were applied to the whole railway territory.

"The Railway Commission has held that a railway owned by the Government has just as much right to reasonable rates as has a privately owned system. In 1917 Sir Henry Drayton in the Increase of Rates Case, said:

"There is no reason why the business of the Canadian Northern should be conducted at a loss simply because a Government owns it. Under the Railway Act the Board certainly cannot deny the people as a whole a rate which would be fair to individuals when owning the transportation system. It appears that a national railway, just as much as any other railway, ought to be operated so as to cover the cost. The interest cost on the Canadian Northern securities certainly cannot be looked on as negligible and a matter of no moment to the country."

"Referring to the Grand Trunk Pacific, Sir Henry Drayton in giving the Commission's opinion in the Western Rates Case, said:

"Probably the worst service the Board could do to the people of the West would be making, as they have been requested to make, such a scale of rates as would effectually prevent the fruition of the project and condemn it to insolvency before the line as a whole is actually constructed."

"From the foregoing it is plain that because of the difference of opinion existing over the extent of the terri-

torial to which the Crow's Nest Pass Agreement should apply, the only course which the railways in justice to themselves and the public as a whole could take, was to file tariffs based on what they were advised was the correct interpretation of the Crow's Nest Pass Act."

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IN THE VANGUARD OF SCIENCE

SITUATE at the cross roads of the world
Victoria from time to time welcomes
those who do unusual things in an uncommon
way. To-day it is neither the explorer nor the
adventurer the greets, but the men who exer-
cise original minds, who test the assertions and
claims of others in the crucible of research.

The British Association for Advancement
of Science in over ninety years of existence has
taken a foremost and unchallenged place in
the world. Organizations patterned by it have
arisen elsewhere, but the mother body reigns
supreme. Those who founded this body in the
dawn of railway building, when steam com-
munication by sea was just beginning, could
not have anticipated a time when the associa-
tion would meet many thousand miles from
its headquarters, and then organize special
trains to cross a continent to bring the torch
of learning to distant universities flourishing where
its founders knew only a savage wilderness.

Victoria is honored in welcoming to-day
men who have conquered pestilence, have wrung
astounding results from the soil by the applica-
tion of science, have utilized the precision
of the laboratory in the workshop, and have
applied to the theories of the universe the
testing telescopes of giant observatories.

Accurate observation is one of the rarest
attributes of this effervescent civilization, and
if the addresses and lectures of these men of
science do nothing else but emphasize this
phase of modern life, their visit will not have
been in vain.

To our visitors we wish a pleasant in-
spection of those institutions of which this city
is proud, and the recognition that their work
for science is being watched here, because their
chosen field knows neither the bounds of time
nor space.

THE LATE MR. CORNETT

EDUCATIONAL circles in Victoria will
be very much the poorer by the untimely
and tragic passing of Mr. T. W. Cornett. His
end came while he was enjoying a dip in
Shawnigan Lake, presumably from heart fail-
ure, and he had gone to his last rest before
human aid could reach him.

The late Mr. Cornett kept himself abreast
of the times in all matters of progress, but it
was as an able and painstaking teacher at the
Victoria High School that he had made a reputa-
tion for himself in this community.

For some time past he had been extremely
active in developing a strong local interest in
the affairs and hopes of the League of Na-
tions. As secretary of the Victoria branch of
its society in Canada the greater part of the
organization work in this locality had fallen
upon his shoulders. Convinced of the hope
which the League holds out to a war weary
humanity Mr. Cornett had put his heart and
soul into the work which he had willingly ac-
cepted. But there were many demands upon
his leisure hours and few of them went unsat-
isfied. His interest in and work for the Cana-
dian Club, particularly his contributions to that
organization's activities in historical research,
were highly valued by his fellow members.
These two societies in particular will share the
keen loss which they have sustained with the
cause of Methodism in this district to which
Mr. Cornett devoted himself.

To Mrs. Cornett and her daughter The
Times extends its sincerest condolences in their
painful bereavement.

THE PREMIER'S VICTORY

VERY few people in British Columbia
were surprised at the result of the by-
election in Nelson. The Premier had an ex-
cellent case and the electors were apparently
not interested in the side issues which a triple
opposition seemed to consider were of prime
importance to the constituency. And Mr.
Oliver's majority speaks for itself.

The contest which has just closed illus-
trates once more how the average electorate ob-
jects to having its intelligence discounted. It
is also interesting to observe that the result is
a withering rebuff to the tactics which the new
Leader of the Opposition thought wise to em-
ploy in an effort to win his first mark of ap-
proval from the Party which started him on
his period of probation two weeks ago.

Mr. Pooley and his henchmen who went to
Nelson intent upon organizing an opposition
which would defeat the Premier at all costs
committed one grave error. They took the
stand that Nelson was not interested in the
fight which Mr. Oliver has been waging for
many months in an effort to get better freight
terms, that the first duty of the electorate was
to follow the example which Victoria had set
and confirm its opinion of Mr. Oliver's ser-
vice to the Province; but the plan went wrong.

Nor was it likely that the people of that
enterprising community would take kindly to
the exhibition of bad taste to which Mr. Pooley
treated them when he attempted to demon-
strate that the Premier's grammar and pro-
nunciation were of more importance than his
efficient service to the people of British Co-
lumbia. The majority no doubt weighed up

the source of this bright idea and did its own
thinking. Upon their decision they are to be
congratulated.

The contest is of importance, too, be-
cause it happens to be the first test of public
opinion—incidentally, in a constituency usually
regarded as a Conservative stronghold—since
the general election two months ago. The re-
sult, in the face of a three-party opposition
specially drilled in its business by Mr. Pooley
and General MacRae, "not connected with
any of the opposition forces in the Legislature,"
and supposedly blessed by Labor, thus indi-
cates that Nelson was not and could not be
hoodwinked.

A SUCCESSFUL EXHIBITION

ALTHOUGH the exhibition grounds and
buildings were not taxed to their ut-
most capacity on any day of last week, the
members of the British Columbia Agricultural
Association will have extracted considerable
satisfaction from the fact that their labors were
supported in a much more liberal and enthu-
siastic fashion than in previous years. The
exhibits were more numerous and of a higher
quality and wider variety than they have been
hitherto, and the attendance in general was
highly encouraging.

With this highly satisfactory accomplish-
ment in mind the Association will have been
furnished with a lively incentive to make plans
well in advance for next year's exhibition.
There is obviously a still wider field of ef-
fort to be interested in the Victoria Fall Fair.
The district exhibits which were entered this
year indicate the keen sense of competition
which abounds among the producers of this
section and there is no reason why the whole
of the Island should not be represented in a
similar manner at this annual event.

This year's attendance at the Fair of
strangers to the district bears out the conten-
tion that there are many people coming to this
part of the Province every Summer who are
combining pleasure with inquiries as to what
the Island has to offer to the individual who
elects to come and live here. By an exhibition
truly representative of the whole Island these
people would be impressed. It should, there-
fore, be good business to set about organizing
the wider territory in an effort to get a large
number of district exhibits next year.

No ill effects have been reported as a
result of the close shave the Earth had with
Mars on Saturday.

After the Nelson contest General MacRae
should really follow up his threat with action
and drop politics for business.

Nelson's good sense has put an end to the
discussion as to what the constitutional pro-
cedure would be at the Parliament Buildings
if Mr. Oliver failed to win his by-election.

If Mr. Bowser would publish what he
thinks of the tactics which his successor em-
ployed in the Nelson by-election there would
be interesting reading for the people of this
Province.

"English Simplified" or "Pronunciation
made Easy" is the title of a new text-book
for politicians which will shortly be issued by
the leader of the Conservative Party in British
Columbia.

Anyone caught splitting an infinitive on the
Conservative benches of the Legislature from
now on will be compelled to write out one
thousand times the reason why Mr. Pooley or-
ganized the Citizens' Party in Nelson.

The morning paper can not get over the
Government's audacity in continuing to govern
the people of British Columbia when it did
not get a majority of the votes cast at the re-
cent election. It will, however, have to make
up its mind to put up with our democratic sys-
tem of electing our law-makers.

A NEED FOR PROTECTION

From The St. Catharines Standard

The United States does not seem to have
any tariff against rumors entering that country
about the Canadian wheat crop.

BRITISH HOUSING PROBLEM

From The Weekly Westminster

One of the urgent national problems which
depend in part upon a wise handling of the
land question is the vexed problem of housing.

THE WORST HAPPENS

From The Rhodesia Chronicle

It may genuinely appear to the Nationalists
and Labor that some mines are capable of
being more highly taxed for revenue or through
their labor costs, but such discrimination is
impossible and would be fatal to all enter-
prise. Additional to the national taxation, the
mines are so heavily burdened by the provin-
cial and municipal charges that it must be
disquieting to hear a party leader hinting of
further impositions. The union electors will
surely exercise caution before putting into ef-
fect a political combination threatening the fu-
ture of an industry which, beyond its huge
contribution to public revenue, distributes
more than £1,000,000 a month in European and
native wages and spends a further million
monthly upon mainly South African stores and
supplies. It will effectively prevent native com-
petition with the whites if there is no work
for either.

BROOK TROUT

"O tell me," asked the artist of a man.
Who gazed into a dell through which there ran
A little babbling brook—
"What do you see in yonder silver stream?"
The man replied—as if he spoke in dream—
"I wish I had a hook."

"O that you cannot mean!" the artist cried:
"To catch those wondrous shades, I long have
tried.
But ere my paints are mixed,
From bronze and green they've changed to argent
gray—
To catch a hue, I've waited many days—
A tint that is not fixed."

Then there passed by a man with rod and line,
And 'twas agreed that they two should combine
To hunt the fish that still upon the bank
But when the fish lay still upon the bank,
The artist's finer soul within him shrank
The colors were not there.
—Arthur J. Peel

Dr. Frank Crane on

"George"

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IT IS the custom to look upon friendship be-

tween men and women with suspicion.

The hard-headed wisdom of the world finds it

difficult to admit that there is any such thing

without the entrance of a baser motive. At the same time, there have been as many

enduring friendships between men and women as there have been friendships between men and

men. There is no doubt that the play of the sex instinct, in what may be called a

secondary or tertiary place, is as stimulating as those of more immediate contact.

There is something in the companionship of men and women that is distinctly stimulat-

ing and creative. It is allied to, and germane to, that creative instinct which enables people

to do their best work in the world. The greatest poetry, if not the greatest

prose, has been written under the inspiration of the opposite sex.

There is no doubt, but that the compani- ship is dangerous in a way but all precious

things are dangerous and this should not in- duce us to regard with suspicion our friend-

ships. There is something peculiarly stimulat- ing to a man in the friendship of a woman

which he does not find in the friendship of a man. Boys are better trained if they are allowed

to associate freely with girls and men acquire a smoothness of manner under the influence of

women more than they do by themselves. In fact the question of educating each sex by

itself has found considerable opposition from those who are best acquainted with the funda-

mentals of human nature. Who ever made the human race, male and

female created them and it is intended for them to best develop their personality and

live out their lives by being in constant con- tact one sex with another. It is pretty well

demonstrated that a life can only find its proper stimulus and interest in the presence of the

opposite sex. It is doubtful whether a man has ever

attained distinction without the presence of some of those women who are called "femmes

inspiration" by the French which means those women who are especially endowed in in-

spiration ability.

British Capture of American Capital in 1814

IN the campaigns of the War of 1812 the
American armies which tried to gain a foot-
hold on Canadian soil in the main fared very
badly indeed, greatly as they outnumbered the
defenders of Canada. Canadians have reason
to be proud of the heroic part the Canadian
militia played in this really remarkable defence

of a long, and by all the rules of war, indefen-
sible frontier, and proud as well of the regulars by
cent work of the handful of British troops who
saw the side the militia fought. It was the terrible

pressure of the mighty British fleet blockading
the whole Atlantic coast of the United States
that won the war. This blockade completely
destroyed American sea-borne commerce and

brought the United States people, and their gov-
ernment to the verge of bankruptcy. The last
\$25,000,000 loan which the government tried to

raise in 1814 was barely half subscribed and
the United States treasury notes, which were
issued in March, 1814, in a frantic endeavor to

finance the war, depreciated almost immediately
seventy-five per cent. in their own country.

Meanwhile, during the Summer of 1814 the
British navy made a series of descents upon im-
portant points on the United States coast, which
produced a loud clamor for immediate steps

toward ending the war. Perhaps the most
significant, certainly the most spectacular, of
these was the ascent by a British squadron of

the Potomac and Patuxent Rivers and the cap-
ture of Washington.

ABOUT the middle of August, 1814, Vice-
Admiral Cochrane and Vice-Admiral Cock-
burn sailed into Chesapeake Bay. Two vessels

with four small auxiliaries advanced up the
Potomac, while the main fleet with the
landing force aboard moved up the Patuxent,

and one British frigate sailed up the Chesapeake
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Four Bay above Baltimore to create a diversion. Four
British troops were landed at Benedict,
fifty miles from Washington, and marched

across country. On the evening of August 23
they bivouacked ten miles from the capital,
with the east branch of the Potomac between

them and their objective. The city was defended by six thousand five

hundred American regulars and militia with
twenty-four guns. On the morning of August
24 the British made an unexpected movement

to cross the Potomac at Bladensburg, six miles
from Washington, instead of by the eastern
bridge at the city itself. The Americans hur-

riedly took up a very strong position on the
west side with twelve guns enfilading the road westward
and other guns enfilading the road westward
from the bridge. General Winder was in com-

mand, but he was interfered with by President
Madison himself, who with Secretary of State
Monroe and the War Secretary Armstrong, was
on horseback on the battlefield until the first

bullets began to fly, when all three hastily de-
camped. The British force under command of General
Ross marched fourteen miles in the heat, ar-
rived at Bladensburg at noon, and attacked at

once. Crossing the bridge the British losses
were severe from the American batteries' fire,
which batteries were immediately stormed and
several guns taken. The British deployed, ad-

vanced across a ravine in face of murderous
fire and, capturing the guns here, turned the
American right flank. The American militia

gave way everywhere and fled with extra-
ordinary speed and confusion, such speed that
only one hundred and twenty prisoners were

taken. Ten guns were captured. The contest
had been brief and decisive, and the British
losses were sixty-four killed and eighty-four

wounded. AFTER a halt for rest and food, the British
moved on and reached Washington at eight
o'clock that evening. Marching into the city
they were fired on from the Capitol and from a

private house close by. These were at once
occupied by the British Infantry and set afire.
In addition, General Ross had the Treasury
building and War Office burnt. This was in

retribution for the wanton burning of the
Americans of the villages of Niagara-on-the-
Lake and St. David's, as well as of the public
buildings of Toronto, then called York, in

Canada. The retreating Americans had them-
selves set fire to the Navy Yard and the two
war vessels there under construction.

The whole day of August 25 the city of Wash-
ington remained in the hands of these four
thousand British troops in the heart of a hostile
country. There was no looting and no molesta-

tion of private houses, save of the one by the
Capitol, or molestation of persons. The uncon-
sumed naval stores were burnt and the bridge

over the Potomac was destroyed. On the evening of August 25 the British army
leisurely retired by way of Bladensburg, reach-
ing Benedict again on August 29 without meet-
ing a United States soldier, and embarked on

August 30.

For Thousands of Years

it rested in the
heart of Old Mother
Earth. All through
the years men
sought it. For they
knew its worth.
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found it—when
they had reached
their goal—these
words were written
on it

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of residents of the lake proved an
outstanding success. The weather
was good, a cool breeze from the
south making conditions ideal. In

addition to the water sports a good
programme of land events was pro-
vided. The first event started at 1.30,
and there followed in quick suc-
cession event after event finishing at

6.30 with a live duck hunt par-
ticipated in by over thirty young
and old swimmers.

SEVENTEEN EVENTS

The land sports came first and
were run off on the sports ground
adjoining the hall, through the
courtesy of James Finlay. Each of the

seventeen events was keenly con-
tested, the race was won by Felix Luck-
ovitch, a local boy. After a most ex-
citing race, Luckovitch took the lead

from the start, and was never passed,
although several of the runners
pressed him. In the last lap Theo.
Elford made a fine sprint and fin-
ished second, about five yards behind

the winner. The donor of the cup
was present, and declared he had sel-
dom seen so fine a race.

QUARTER MILE

The one-quarter mile race was a
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four teams entered. The Humber
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ond. Other events provided sport for
the boys and girls. A 100-yard race
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1940 Ernest Avenue; John H. Hedley,
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Miss E. Cave, 20 Hollywood Crescent,
and G. McAdam, 1487 Vining Street.

There were 16,221 guesses taken alto-
gether, and they varied from 300,000
received from a city official, to five
and a half miles. Several of the
shrewd sixteen thousand, suspecting a

catch, guessed "nil." Tangible re-
sults of his enterprising advertising
stunt are quoted by Mr. Bryant.
Within the hours after the exhibi-
tion closed he sold three bicycles on
his ten per cent. discount offer, and
in addition he has gathered an in-
valuable list of prospects. He has
been cordially complimented by the
fair management on staging such an
attractive feature of the exhibition.

Oshawa, Ont., Aug. 25.—The
Oshawa Telegram, local newspaper,
published by The Alger Press, to-day

reverted to three issues a week instead
of daily. The reason is said to be due
to the high cost of publishing. The
Ontario Reformer of Oshawa also
publishes three days a week.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Victoria Times, August 25, 1899

The residents of Victoria West were terrified yesterday by a bear
which broke its chain, and chased people from the streets. Many children
were pursued by the animal, which was eventually recaptured.

Mr. Schofield announces that a reference catalogue of 10,000 vol-
umes in the Provincial Library is in course of preparation, and will be
ready for the members of the House at the next session.

Hon. Sydney Fisher, Minister of Agriculture, is expected in the city
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- Seven-piece Solid Oak Dining Suite, made up of round top extension table, one arm and five small chairs; Old English finish. On sale for **\$59.00**
- One Solid Oak Extension Table, with round top and pedestal base. On sale for **\$25.00**
- One Walnut Finish Extension Table, with round top and pedestal base. Regular \$45.00 for **\$22.50**
- Set of Dining Chairs, in quartered oak and polished finish, one arm and five small chairs with leather seats **\$35.00**
- Fumed Oak Diners with leather slip seats, one arm and five small. August sale **\$39.00**
- An Eight-piece Quartered Oak Dining Suite, consisting of buffet, oblong extension table, one arm and five small chairs, with slip seats **\$173.00**
- An Eight-piece Quartered Oak Dining Suite, in dull, golden finish; round extension table, large size buffet, and set of chairs with slip seats **\$139.00**
- An Eight-piece Solid Oak Suite in fumed finish; buffet with plate mirror, oblong extension table, one arm and five small chairs with slip seats **\$135.00**
- An Eight-piece Quartered Oak Suite, in golden finish; buffet with mirror, round top extension table, and set of chairs with leather slip seats **\$159.00**
- An Eight-piece Quartered Oak Suite, fumed finish; low back buffet, oblong extension table, and set of six chairs; Queen Ann design **\$189.00**
- An Eight-piece Fumed Oak Suite, buffet, round top extension table, and set of chairs with slip seats **\$125.00**
- Furniture, Second Floor

Large Size Wilton Hearthrugs, \$11.95

English Wilton Hearthrugs, 36 and 63 inches, in a fine selection of designs and of superior quality. A grand opportunity to secure a rug suitable for hall, hearth or archway. Only **\$11.95**

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- Size 9.0x10.6. Reg. \$17.25, on sale, **\$13.95**
- Size 9.0x12.0. Reg. \$19.50, on sale, **\$16.50**
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A Sale of Beds

Excellent Values

- A White Enamel Steel Bed with brass top rod and heavy brass ball corners. Size 4ft. 6in. Reg. \$21.00 for **\$15.00**
- Brass Bed with two-inch posts and one-inch top rod, five one-inch fillers. Size 4ft. 6in. Regular \$30.00 value. August Sale **\$21.50**
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- Simmons Steel Beds with 2-inch continuous posts and five flat fillers, finished in walnut and mahogany; all sizes. August Sale **\$15.00**
- Simmons Steel Beds with continuous posts and six one-inch fillers, walnut finish; all sizes. Price **\$12.75**
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- Pork Steaks, per lb. **20c**
- Loin Pork Chops, per lb. **25c**
- Fresh Beef Hearts, each **25c**

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- Fresh Creamery Butter, per lb. **36c**
- No. 1 Alberta Butter, lb. **39c**; 3 lbs. for **\$1.15**
- Back Bacon, 2 to 3 lbs., per lb. **35c**
- Select Picnic Hams, per lb. **19c**

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- Extras, Tuesday Special, per dozen **39c**
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Rattan Chairs August Sale Bargains at \$14.90

An assortment of Rattan Chairs and Rockers in fumed finish. They are handsome chairs, well made and strong. They have spring cushion seats and pad backs covered with an attractive cretonne. Chairs good enough for any room, and big value at, each **\$14.90**

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Block Print Cretonne, 31 inches wide, including choice French and English makes, beautiful designs and colors; values to \$2.75. On sale, a yard **\$1.50**

Cretonnes, 31 and 36 inches wide, exclusive designs in a fine American Print and British block prints; good value at \$1.75. On sale for a yard **95c**

—Drapery, Second Floor

An August Sale Special in Lace Curtain Net

Scotch Lace Nets, all-over and shadow types; 40 inches wide. Values to 50c a yard for **39c**

Seranton Fillet Net and Scotch Scalloped Border Net, 36 and 40 inches wide. Fine grade and attractive designs, a yard **49c**

Lace Nets, 45 and 50 inches wide, fine grade and beautiful designs; regular \$1.25. On sale, a yard **95c**

Exclusive Lace Nets in choice period designs. Some very artistic effects, 45 and 52 inches wide. Values to \$2.95 a yard for **\$1.85**

—Drapery, Second Floor

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—Mantles, First Floor



Hip and Hose Supporters, \$2.25

Hip and Hose Supporters made of pink broche with wide insets of surgical elastic over hips. They are lightly boned and made long over the back and have four hose supporters. All sizes, each at **\$2.25**

—Corsets, First Floor

A New Selection of Girls' White Cotton Middies

White Cotton Middies in regulation style with long or short sleeves, with navy, detachable collars or all-white. For the ages of 6 to 14 years **\$1.75**

Heavy Grade Jean Middies, with detachable, navy flannel collar. For the ages of 6 to 14 years, **\$2.25** or **\$2.75**

—Children's, First Floor

Rubber Aprons 75c and 95c

Rubber Aprons for household purposes, in plain colors and neat checks; made with bib and pockets. Special value, each **75c** and **95c**

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Indian Novelty Goods at Low Prices

Indian Novelty Goods, made from birch bark and in the form of picture frames, canoes, fancy baskets, brush holders, table mats, napkin rings, etc. Gifts of real Indian craftsmanship. On sale on the main floor, **5c** to **\$1.45**

—Main Floor



Smart Sports Dresses for Fall Wear \$14.75 to \$22.50

Sports Dresses in check, a laine, flannel, wool, wool crepe and plaid cloth, neat checks, stripes and plaids showing shades of navy and fawn, brown and grey, and fawn, fawn and navy, black and white, etc. These dresses are specially desirable for school or outing wear, taking the place of Summer frocks. They are designed in straight lines with long sleeves, Peter Pan or roll collars; skirts are plain or pleated and have neat girdles. They range in price from **\$14.75** to **\$22.50**

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Fall Silks

New Colorings and Fine Values

- 36-inch Striped Spun Silk that wears and launders well, suitable for dresses, pyjamas and skirts. A yard **\$1.98**
- 36-inch Satin Back Duvetyn, the latest in duvetyn for capes. It has a silk face and a heavy satin back. Shades are Copenhagen, copper, grey and black, fawn and biscuit, green and gold. A yard, **\$5.95**
- 40-inch Brocade Crepe de Chine, suitable for afternoon and evening wear. Shades are peach, geranium, honeydew, tangerine, ecrú and toast. A yard **\$4.50**
- 36-inch Black Messaline, an extra heavy satin for dresses. Special, a yard **\$1.59**
- 36-inch Two-tone Duchesse, in bright finish and shot effect; light and dark colorings, suitable for day or evening wear. Yard, **\$1.98**
- 40-inch Roskhenara Crepe, a silk much in demand this season for dresses. It makes up smartly and is shown in shades of stone, biscuit, silver, brown and almond green. A yard **\$3.98**
- 36-inch Silk Crepeknit, makes up well in dresses, has a fine appearance and wears well. Shades are white, silver, cocoa, biscuit, black and Copenhagen **\$1.98**
- Silks, Main Floor

Girls' Flannelette Gowns, Bloomers and Pyjamas New Arrivals

White Flannelette Gowns, made with high and "V" necks; trimmed on yoke with embroidery and colored stitching. For the ages of 6 to 14 years; **\$1.25** to **\$1.50**

Children's White Flannelette Bloomers, with elastic at waist and knee; sizes for 6 to 12 years. A pair **50c**

Children's Flannelette Pyjamas, two-piece styles, pink and blue stripes. For the ages of 6 to 14 years; a suit, **\$1.25** to **\$2.00**

A Shipment of Early Fall Underwear

Direct From the British Mills, Robin Hood and Viking Brands

- Men's Fall Weight Natural Wool Mixture Shirts and Drawers, Robin Hood brand, made in England; button shoulder style. Every garment guaranteed and unshrinkable; shirt sizes 34 to 44, drawers 32 to 42, a garment **\$2.00**
- Larger sizes extra
- Combinations in the same makes, sizes to 42 chest, a suit **\$3.75**
- Men's Fall Weight Natural All-wool Shirts and Drawers, Viking brand, made in England. Double breasted, button on shoulder, no opening in front; guaranteed unshrinkable; shirts 32 to 42, drawers 32 to 40. Special, a garment **\$2.85**
- Larger sizes extra
- Men's Viking Brand Combinations, all wool; sizes 34 to 44. Special, suit **\$5.50**
- Men's Fall Weight Natural Cashmere Shirts and Drawers, pure wool, English make and guaranteed absolutely unshrinkable. The shirts have spliced elbows, the drawers spliced knees and seats. These garments are full fashioned. Shirt sizes, 34 to 44, a garment, **\$3.50**
- Drawers, 32 to 42, a pair, **\$3.50**
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- Natural Cashmere Combinations, all pure wool; sizes 36 to 42 chest, a suit, **\$6.00**
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- Penman's Heavy Natural Wool Mixture Shirts or Drawers; ask for 23 Cloud. Shirts are double breasted and very comfortable for winter. All sizes, shirts or drawers, a garment **\$1.95**
- Our Prince brand. A cotton underwear of excellent weight. **\$1.95**
- Combinations, a suit **\$1.95**
- Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

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BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggily and the Balloon Fish

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By Howard R. Garie

It was a cold, wet, foggy day down at the seashore beach, where Uncle Wiggily was spending a few weeks in a driftwood bungalow. The old rabbit gentleman put on his olefin slicker, or rubber coat that made him look like a yellow chrysanthemum flower, and started for the door.

"You aren't going out in all this fog and dampness: are you?" asked Nurse Jane Fuzzy Wuzzy, apprehensive like a fuzzy.

"I will make your rheumatism worse, in all this fog," spoke the muskrat lady housekeeper.

"Well, I'll take a chance on that," laughed Uncle Wiggily, sort of

sporty like, if you know what I mean. "I must have an adventure. So forth he hopped into the cold and dampness and fog, while Nurse Jane sat behind in the driftwood bungalow and worried. But then as she was always a little bit additional, she didn't so much matter.

Uncle Wiggily hopped along the beach. The wet fog, in white clouds, rolled in from the sea. The rabbit gentleman could hardly see his pink, twinkling nose, close as it was to him, and he hardly knew where he was going.

"But I just know I shall have a jolly adventure!" he said.

At first the bunny uncle hopped swiftly, then he went more slowly and finally he hopped very slowly indeed, just like an automobile when it is going to stop. Uncle Wiggily put his paw on his left hip. Then he grunted and groaned and cried out:

"Ouch! My rheumatism! Nurse Jane was right! The fog has made my rheumatism hurt so much I can't hop. Here I am stuck alone on the foggy beach up and swell out like a get home when I can't hop!"

Uncle Wiggily sat down on a pile of seaweed and looked about him. He could see no one to help him, and all of a sudden there came crawling and creeping up from the ocean the Lively Lobster with his big pinching claws.

"Ah, ha!" snickered the Lobster as he saw the rabbit. "Now I can catch you and pinch you, for you can't get away from me. Oh, ho!"

Uncle Wiggily tried to hop away from the Lobster's pinching claws but he couldn't. His rheumatism had made him stiff in the fog. And then, all of a sudden, just when the Lobster was going to get hold of the rabbit in his pinching claws, something happened.

Up out of the ocean popped a strange fish. At first it was flat, like most fishes, but soon it began to puff itself up and swell out like a rubber ball filled with air. In fact that is what the fish was doing—filling itself with air.

"I will save you from the Lobster, Uncle Wiggily," said the fish.

"Thank you, but who are you and how can you save me?" asked the rabbit.

"I am a Balloon Fish," was the answer. "I will puff up like a balloon and rise in the air. You can catch hold of my fins and I will lift you far out of the reach of the Lobster's claws. Then, sailing through the air, like a balloon, I will take you home."

And this the Balloon Fish did. He puffed himself bigger and bigger, until he floated in the air above Uncle Wiggily's head. The bunny uncle took hold of the fins of the fish, and away they floated safe to the bunny's driftwood bungalow.

"Come back! Come back!" snickered the Lobster. "Come back and let me pinch you!" But the bunny didn't come back. I should say not!

"Thank you for saving me," said Mr. Longears to the Balloon Fish, as it floated back to sea. And if the charcoal man doesn't jump in the flour barrel to try and make himself pink, I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggily in a dark hole.

Miss Laura Lee Davidson, an Ontario essayist who won golden opinions from the critics on account of her first volume, "A Winter of Content," has written another collection of prose pieces, which will be published this fall under the title, "Tales of Eden," by Minton, Balch & Company, New York.

HEATHER DAY TO-MORROW

Lady Douglas Chapter to Commemorate Departure of First Contingent

To-morrow is Heather Day, the day on which the Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.D.E., sells heather to commemorate the departure of the first contingent of troops from Victoria on August 28, 1914, when each soldier was presented with a sprig of heather "for luck."

Annually since 1914, the Chapter has observed Heather Day, and the members have been devoted to the interests of ex-Service men and their dependents. One of the Chapter's most sacred obligations has been the care of the men who are still in hospital, while many a soldier's wife has caused to bless the chapter for the gift of layettes and other garments for their loved ones.

As in every year since 1914, Mr. George Fraser, of Ucluelet, has sent a large supply of heather, and the members hope for a generous response from the public to-morrow. Mrs. Walter Burton is acting as general convenor, and the day's headquarters will be in the store of the Club's tobacco store, Halleybury Building, corner Fort and Government Streets, kindly loaned by F. B. Pemberton.



A YOUNG Australian, Dale Collins by name, took ship aboard the craft of the world's greatest yachtsman, a rich Ohioan, when the craft put into the Antipodes.

Reaching London he wrote a rather colorful story of the trip, but stored it away for future fiction.

Some of this has been released in a first novel, "Ordeal" (Knopf). It is one of those surprising first books, in which the author's capacity for strength is revealed, with promise of greater strength to follow.

"Ordeal" is a book which shows sophisticated, cultured people in full contact with the world of the future. It is a book which shows the strength of the human mind, and the strength of the human spirit.

In Collins' book a party of wealthy sophisticated folk are touring on the ship of a rich New Yorker when the craft becomes lost in the Pacific. They fall upon the mercy of Ted, a half-breed steward; a sneering, sniveling, villainous fellow who gains ascendancy over the crew through superior cunning and intelligence.

In a midnight fray Ted kills the first mate, a drug addict, and finds that he alone is able to "take the sun" and keep the ship's position. The half-breed then enjoys delusions of grandeur to the extent of believing a young woman in the party could be infatuated with him.

Madness overtakes him in the end, and finally he becomes shark food—both of which situations are among the "weakest" in the book.

Meanwhile there have been thrills aplenty, and some psychological studies that are varying in their skill. Some show Collins to be still quite young—twenty-eight, or something like that, in fact—but it is amusing that dead, old Lady Daly is the one who finally disposes of Ted. Because she is deaf she does not comprehend the half-breed's dominant commands and so, when the time comes, she orders him about his business and he humbly goes.

In the earlier part of the book Collins suffers slightly from "metaphoritis" or fatty figure of speech. His figures, though good for the most part, pile upon each other too fast. But Collins will bear watching. He will write good sea stuff, and in time—big.

AND while the sound of surf is still in our ears, a word for the passing of Joseph Conrad.

He left twenty-four volumes. What alluding titles. The Nigger of the Narcissus, "An Outcast of the Islands," "Almayer's Folly," "Nostromo," "Typhoon," "Youth," "Chance," "The Arrow of Gold," "Lord Jim," down through the whole list that his genius wrought.

A great heritage from a Slavic sailor who held the magic of genius and who, a master of many languages, found the English tongue to write in. That has been one of the great wonders of Conrad—a native of Poland who could become so great an English stylist.

Such was the diversity of his work, and so wide the appeal to varying tastes that there will always exist a debate as to his best tale.

"Youth," would probably get a majority vote; but what of "Heart of Darkness" for sheer dank coloring and "Lord Jim" for psychology.

In the case of Conrad literature is so intimate to this extent, he lived to write all that he had to say. The last work of his life, "The Rover," showed the inroads of old age; it was a book of a few years.

Frank Doubleday, of Doubleday, Page (his publishers), announces an incomplete novel, "Suspense," laid in Italian setting and with no mention of the sea contained in it.

SCHOLARSHIPS AT UNIVERSITY SCHOOL

University School is continuing the offer of scholarships this year. There are two scholarships for day boys. Each of these is equivalent to the full fees for one school year.

There are also two scholarships for house boys. These scholarships are given on the same general basis as the Rhodes Scholarships. Applications should be made before Sept. 1.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor entertained at an informal luncheon at Government House yesterday in honor of Major Stuart MacLaren, of the British world flight party, and his associates, Flight-Lieut. Plenderleith and Sergt. Andrews.

Mr. G. Bonlie of Seattle is on a visit to Victoria.

Mrs. A. A. Jennings of Portland is visiting Victoria.

Mrs. Whellans and family of Kaslo are visiting Victoria.

Mr. K. Robertson of Peterboro, Ont., is a visitor to Victoria.

Miss N. Ronald of Cumberland was a visitor in Victoria at the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Harter of Seattle are spending a few days in the city.

Mrs. J. Kule, Jack Kule and J. Kule of Palo Alto, Cal., are on a visit to this city.

Dr. E. A. McCulloch and family of Toronto are spending a vacation in this city.

F. R. Angell of St. Paul is among the many United States tourists now in Victoria.

Mrs. Pontoon entertained at a fanned dance on Saturday night at "Mallowmoot."

Mrs. C. H. Singsby left yesterday for Los Angeles, where she will spend the coming month.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Moore of Vancouver are visitors in Victoria and are guests at the Balmoral Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Eames, Mary Ann Eames and Hortense Eames of Chico, California, are on a visit to Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Streetfield of Glen Valley, B.C., arrived in Victoria yesterday and are guests at the Balmoral Hotel.

Miss Eileen Benson of Victoria is in Vancouver for a few days where she is the house-guest of Mrs. H. R. Bray, Point Grey.

Mr. Kenneth Raymur spent the week-end at Shawnigan Lake as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. McDiarmid at "Arcadia."

Mrs. Raymur, Stanley Avenue, and Mrs. H. A. Williams, spent the week-end at Shawnigan Lake as the guests of Dr. and Mrs. W. T. Barrett.

Miss Dinky Cox spent the week-end at Shawnigan Lake as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. McDiarmid at their summer home, "Arcadia."

Mrs. D. R. Ker and the Misses Davida and Inez Ker are among the many Victorians now in London for the British Empire Exhibition.

Friends of Mrs. Margaret Hale of 1117 McClure Street will be sorry to hear of her very serious illness, and that her recovery is not expected.

Mrs. Norman Luxton and Miss Ellen Luxton of Banff, Alta., are returning to the city, and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thompson Kirby, George Road.

Mrs. Rickard, who for the past week has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wilson, Madison Street, returned yesterday to her home in Port Angeles.

Mrs. Jack Barst has returned to her home at Caulfield, near Vancouver, after being the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Pemberton, "Mountjoy," for the past ten days.

After spending the past month in Victoria with Mrs. Lane and Miss Lane at the Empress Hotel, Mr. Arthur Lane is returning to-day to his home in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Tomlin, who have been the guests at the Empress Hotel, left yesterday for Vancouver en route to their home in Nepeawa.

Mrs. F. M. Dain who, with her little son, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. George C. Howell, St. James Street, Oak Bay, left on Saturday for her home in Massachusetts.

The marriage of Mr. Edward Norton, eldest son of Sir Augustus and Lady Norton, to Miss Margaret McEachern of Winnipeg, will take place in the prairie city on September 20.

Major John F. Wall and his daughter, Miss Betty Wall, who have been on a prolonged visit to Victoria as guests at "Edgewood," Cook Street, left last week for their home in Boise, Idaho.

Miss Betty Hercher is visiting at Shawnigan Lake as the guest of her cousin, Miss Peggy Gourlay. The Misses Elaine and Mickey Gallinger are also the guests of Miss Peggy Gourlay.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Burton, Miss Helen Burton and Mr. Frank Wilkinson of Los Angeles, have arrived in the city from Vancouver, where they have been the house-guests of Mrs. J. B. Tierney.

Miss Mary Barton of Vancouver is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. G. Kennel at Duncan. She was accompanied from the mainland by Miss Queenie Kennel, who has been her guest for some time.

Miss Workman of the millinery department of the Hudson's Bay Company, who for the past few weeks has been in Eastern Canada and the Eastern States on a business tour, returned to Victoria on Saturday.

Mr. F. Mary Hale, formerly of Duncan, who after a serious operation enlisted in the Royal Canadian Artillery in 1917, and who for the past five years has been in charge of the Port Arthur hospital, is returning to Vancouver to-morrow.

Complimentary to her sister, Miss Lottie Garvin of Vancouver, Mrs. Russell Henshall entertained a number of guests on Friday afternoon.

Miss Garvin, who has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Garvin, Oak Bay Avenue, is returning to Vancouver to-morrow.

Women's Canadian Club

There will be accommodation for about 100 members of the Women's Canadian Club, at the Empress Hotel, to-morrow, following the luncheon in honor of the visiting members of the British Association for the Advancement of Science. Sir William Ashley, vice-president of Birmingham University, a brilliant political economist, will be the speaker. The luncheon will be under the joint auspices of the Canadian Club and Kiwanis Club. Admission for the ladies will be on presentation of membership card at the door.

INDIAN QUEEN TO BECOME DOCTOR

Mrs. R. H. King of Osage Tribe Holidaying at Banff Springs

Banff, Alta., Aug. 25.—Mrs. R. H. King, Osage Indian oil queen of Oklahoma and Texas, is spending her vacation at the Banff Springs Hotel and the Lake Louise Chateau, accompanied by her little daughter, Cecilia.

Mrs. King, who is the niece of Senator Robert Owen, famous Indian Senator from Oklahoma, is a medical student at the University of Texas, where she is taking her doctor's degree. Accompanied by Chief Long Lance, Mrs. King motored to the Stony Indian reservation Saturday afternoon, where she was surprised to find a people speaking her own tribal language, Osage, which belongs to the Sioux branch of the Indian race. Upon her return to Banff this young Indian petroleum magnate, who represents a very high type of Indian beauty, expressed her resolve to return to Canada after the completion of her medical course, and devote her life and profession to the physical well-being of her aboriginal brethren of the Canadian Northwest.

Mrs. King's tribe, the Osages, of whose land oil was discovered some years ago, is officially rated as the wealthiest nation on earth. Though she is a full blooded Indian, she has all the culture, education and refinement of highest type of American girl, possessing bachelor degrees in both arts and science. Mrs. King is the first Indian to have been at the fashionable resorts of the Canadian Rockies.

The Misses G. E. Lewis and A. J. K. Cadden were joint hostesses at a miscellaneous shower at the home of the former, 856 Cormorant Street, in honor of Miss Isabelle Taylor, who is to be married shortly. The rooms were artistically decorated with pale shades of pink, the gifts being concealed in a beautiful basket in the form of a rose. The evening was spent in dancing and singing, those participating in vocal solos were the Misses Taylor, Peatt and Bowden.

The invited guests were: Misses F. Cobley, E. Dawson, C. E. Strickland, H. Yeomans, C. McLean, F. Turner, G. Carter, P. B. Merryfield, F. Watson, M. Lally, J. Kempton, F. Washington, M. Kiel, A. Wise, M. Connell, V. Gardner, A. M. Peatt, M. Kerne, B. Cobley, L. M. Hunter, G. Bowden, H. Tavernier, E. Pearce, Russell, C. Wood, J. W. J. J. Batchelor, C. Strang, E. Carter, J. McWha, J. Taylor, A. J. K. Cadden, G. Lewis, M. Redman and Mesdames E. Gieson, F. Evans, Hogarth, Lewis and McCulloch.

A dance was held in the Sooke Hall under the auspices of the Sooke and the Victoria Y.M.C.A. on Friday evening, August 22. A good number turned out, making the dance very successful. Ice cream was sold during the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Heigelsen left here to-day for a motor trip as far as Shawinigan.

Mrs. Bracken, Miss Bracken and Miss Robinson are staying in Sooke for a short time.

Mr. J. Tildesley, who has been spending the week-end at the Sooke as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. Hemberow, left this week to return to his home in Victoria.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. Clay are pleased to hear that William Clay is able to return to his home here after his recent serious illness.

ST. COLUMBA LADIES' AID WILL HOLD BIG CHURCH FAIR FRIDAY

The ladies of St. Columba Presbyterian Church, Oak Bay, will hold their annual country fair on Friday evening, August 29. It will be opened by Rev. F. Menzies promptly at 7 o'clock. Mr. G. T. Williams, who has been successful in winning a number of prizes at the amateur gardeners' exhibitions, will judge the exhibits. Entries of fruit, vegetables, flowers, ferns, canned goods, etc., are requested. No admission fee or charge for entering exhibits will be made. After the exhibits have been judged they will be auctioned, the proceeds to be added to the funds of the Ladies Aid Society. A short programme will be given, which is in the capable hands of Mrs. Ruffell. Mrs. Bowers and Mrs. MacCrimmon will be responsible for the side shows. Mrs. Hudson and assistants will please the palate with "hot dogs," while Mrs. Mallory will smother the shivers with pink lemonade. Across the midway Mrs. Forrest, Mrs. Craig and Mrs. Johnson will serve refreshing tea with delicious sandwiches and cake. Miss R. J. Gardner and Miss Margaret Reich will have charge of the entries, which must be sent to the church not later than 4 o'clock, Friday.

When the President McKinley left Victoria for the Orient yesterday afternoon she carried with her a disconsolate princess whose efforts to join her Persian husband in Seattle had been frustrated by the U.S. immigration officials, who proved adamant to her claims. The victim of the immigration laws was Princess Emelita Riza Kuli Mirza Iskander, the pretty twenty-eight-year-old wife of Prince Riza-Kuli Mirza Iskander, an artist and language teacher of Seattle.

For another year at least she must be separated from her husband. All efforts by Seattle friends of the Prince to cut the red tape in the interest of reuniting a family have proven futile.

The Princess has been held in Commissioner Luther Weed's hands at the detention station at Seattle since she arrived on the President Grant July 20, last, while her husband, who is a relative of the Shah of Persia, endeavored through friends to get his wife admitted.

NO VISE ON PASSPORT

Immigration officers in Seattle stated that the Princess' deportation was ordered after Secretary of Labor James Davis had ruled that she could not be admitted because her passport when she arrived from Harbin did not contain a visa from an American consul.

The Princess informed Commissioner Weed that the American consul did not notify her that the regulations provided that she must have a visa on her passport to get into the United States.

Friends of the Princess said her husband came to Seattle more than a year ago with a passport valid for himself and wife and was admitted, but that when the Princess arrived a year later she could not gain admission on the earlier passport because the admission quotas of Poland, her native land, had been filled.

Two Seattle law firms interested themselves in the Princess' case, and Attorney Lane Summers of the firm of Merritt & Summers, came to Canada recently to see if it would be possible for the Princess to come into this country later as a Canadian resident.

SIGNED WAIVER

After official sources had definitely decided that the titled foreigner could not be admitted, the Princess signed a waiver requesting that she be deported to Japan to await the forming of the 1925 quota of immigrants from her country.

Her husband, Prince Mirza Iskander is fifty-eight years old. Through his talent as an artist in oil and water color painting and his ability as a linguist, he has made many friends in

ASSOCIATION HAS LEFT PERMANENT MARK ON SOCIETY

Famous Scientists Have Maintained Ambitious Hopes of Founders

Roll of Presidents is Glossary of Illustrious Names

The British Association had never failed from the York meeting in 1831 until 1917 to hold an annual gathering, and while the gathering was allowed to lapse that year and again in 1918, it was resumed at Bourne, mouth in 1919, in 1920 at Cardiff, where Sir Charles Parsons was the president, and in 1921 Edinburgh was again visited. In 1922 the organizers were at Hull, and last year Sir Ernest Rutherford, who unfortunately has not come on to the Coast, presided at the Liverpool meeting, which was the sixth gathering which has been held outside Canada, the first break away from the British Isles being the Montreal meeting of 1884, and only George Greenhill is attending the present tour of those who participated on that occasion. In 1897 the meeting was held at Toronto, while in 1909 the sessions came to Winnipeg. Meantime there had been a visit to South Africa in 1905. In 1914 the sessions were in progress in Australia when war came, and the meeting was postponed to 1915, when it was held at the wonderful address of Professor William Bateson on the Darwinian theory, in relation to variation of species. It will be recalled that the next steamer from the Antipodes brought a number of the scientists home, headed by Sir Ernest Rutherford, who has himself been associated with Canadian colleagues and is pre-eminently known for his delectation of the atom as the unit of chemical organization.

The association is divided into a number of sections dealing with various sciences, that of astronomy which is so well represented here being in section A, including mathematics, physics, astronomy, and associated sciences. Each section has a president, and its sectional sessions dealing with the progress of the sciences under review, specialize, while the presidential address alludes to the progress of science to which the president has himself given special attention. Some of the most notable discoveries of science have been expounded in these sessions. Through this parliament of science the utterance of scientific opinion goes forth over the English speaking world through the agency of the press.

WHAT IT STANDS FOR

The function of the association, which was founded by Sir David Brewster, Murchison, Habbage, and others, has been admirably described in the following terms: "Beside the immediate and obtained by such an association its utility is evident from the intimate connection between the several branches of science, and the impossibility that any one mind can be conversant with them all. He who now hopes to make discoveries in science must limit himself to a few chosen studies; and yet such is the interlacing of all the several branches of inquiry that he must often find it indispensable to know the last results of each. The botanist, or the physiologist must consult the accomplished chemist, the chemist must call in the aid of those who have specifically studied the action of light, heat, and electricity. The geologist needs them all and is in turn consulted by all. Thus a certain brotherhood of science is formed in which each has his specialty, and yet each leans upon his brother. Science is the best form of fraternity, and there are an American and French society with practically the same objects, holding movable meetings annually. The British Association, while it has permanent offices

in London, England, does not meet there for its plenary sessions. The value of the labors of the association have long been recognized by members of the association. Experiments in electricity and magnetism, meteorological phenomena, and mechanical science have been particularly the object of the work of the association.

FAMOUS NAMES

Some famous men of science who have presided over the meetings have been Sir John Herschel, Sir David Brewster, Sir Richard Owen (founder of the Natural History Museum at South Kensington), Lord Armstrong, Charles Lyell, Sir J. D. Hooker, T. H. Huxley, Lord Kelvin, Sir A. Tyndall, Sir John Lubbock, Lord Rayleigh, Sir William Huggins, Sir A. Gellie, Sir William Crookes, Sir Joseph Lister, Professor Dewar, and others.

Men famous in other walks of life who have presided include the Prince Consort, Sir William Fairbairn, Sir John Hawkshaw, the Marquis of Salisbury, Sir Douglas Galton, and the Earl of Balfour.

LEADING SCIENTISTS MAKE BRIEF VISIT TO VICTORIA TO-DAY

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theory, which is to form the subject of his lecture on Tuesday evening.

O. J. R. Howarth, O.B.E., general secretary of the association.

SEISMOLOGIST COMING
Superintendent F. Napier Denison, director of the Gonzales Observatory, has been informed by Professor J. J. Shaw, inventor of the newer seismographic instruments used at the Observatory, that he will visit him while the party is on the coast.

Professor Bjerkness, the eminent Norwegian, whose work at the Toronto meeting was praised by Mr. Harper in his paper in The Times on Saturday, is also coming to Victoria, together with Professors Bonnesen and Schon.

It should be explained that apart from the European scientists who are traveling with the trains that a number of leading Canadian and American scientific men associated with various colleges are with the party, and are acting as their guides to representative features of scientific interest throughout Canada.

PROFESSOR McLENNAN HERE
In advance of the party Professor J. C. McLennan, of Toronto University, who made the original arrangements, arrived here yesterday, and consulted with Dr. J. S. Plaskett, before Dr. Plaskett left for Vancouver to meet the party.

It should be explained that, in addition to the British Association membership, a number of members of the International Mathematical Congress, which held sessions at practically the same time, joined the train party for the western tour. Thus the blue ribbon of the British Association is to be observed together with the red ribbon of the Congress on the lapel of many of the visitors. Not the least interesting of the men coming on the tour is the distinguished East Indian educationalist, Prof. C. V. Ramon, F.R.S., of the University of Calcutta.

A distinguished Russian with the party was Dr. Stekloff of Leningrad, who is president of the Russian Academy of Sciences. This academy exists wholly for research and the advancement of sciences, and covers several fields, including mathematics, physics and natural history.

PLEASED WITH TOUR
The delegates who made the train journey are delighted with the reception accorded them, particularly with the cordial greetings in Winnipeg, Saskatoon and Edmonton. At Saskatoon and Edmonton, as will have been observed from the graphic columns, scientific meetings were held, while the visit to Saskatoon synchronized with the opening of an addition to the university buildings.

Dr. McLennan stated that it had been the practice for the train parties, on arrival at various points, to break up, and the specialists to visit those particular things which interested them in the neighborhood, and he understood at Vancouver sections would visit the Britannia mines, the biological station at Departure Bay, and the district districts within reach of the city.

The party arrived in Vancouver at nine o'clock over the Canadian National Railways, and those who were coming on here immediately joined the steamer for Victoria. About 100 made the visit, while another party of 130 will arrive tomorrow morning.

There will be a garden party at Government House from 4.30 o'clock to 6 o'clock, and this evening a civic dinner will be held, at which the toasts of "The Visiting Members of the British Association" and "The Visiting Members of the International Mathematical Congress" will be submitted.

This evening at Victoria College, under the auspices of the local branch of the University Extension Society, a lecture on "Health of Children."

To-morrow at noon, at a joint luncheon of the Canadian Club, the Kiwanis Club and visiting librarians of the Pacific Northwest Association, Sir William James Ashley, Vice-president of Birmingham University, will be the speaker.

Tomorrow evening Prof. Arthur Eddington of Cambridge University will speak on the Einstein theory.

GUESSED WEIGHT OF COAL AT EXHIBITION

The weight guessing competition staged at the exhibition by Mackay & Gillespie, Limited, of 1102 Douglas Street, was successfully brought to a close at 5 p.m. Saturday, when the three lumps of coal displayed were weighed in the presence of W. Miller Higgs, manager of the Home Products Building, and found to tip the scales at exactly seventy-five and three-quarter pounds.

The exhibit made by this firm was very widely commented on by thousands of visitors from all parts of the Island, lower mainland and also from the N.W. States.

Over 2,000 of these had a guess, and R. Calcutt, 2054 Towler Street, was adjudged the winner, giving an accurate guess of 75 lb 12 oz, being the actual weight.

Mr. Calcutt can upon application at the firm's office, 1102 Douglas Street, obtain one ton of any of the following coals free—Comox, Ladysmith, Wellington or East Wellington in grades of lump, nut and slack.

HAS SEEN MUCH OF NEWER CANADA

Trains Have Halted in W. Ontario, and at Some Leading Cities of the Plains

The trip across Canada was carefully prepared by the Canadian committee of the British Association working in close co-operation with passenger traffic offices of the Canadian National System and the Itinerary decided upon was of an instructive as well as scenic nature. Visits were paid to mining and paper making industries in Ontario to agricultural colleges, universities and lumbering industries in the West. Three full days were occupied with the rail trip from Toronto to Winnipeg, en route from three to twelve hours having been arranged en route between these two points, the main places of interest being Cobalt, Swastika, Timmins and Irons.

VISIT TO MINES

Hon. C. R. McCrae, Minister of Mines in the Ontario Government accompanied the party to Timmins and over the mining properties in Northern Ontario. At Winnipeg on Thursday they received an official welcome from Premier Bracken and visited the Manitoba Agricultural College, the plant of the Hydro-Electric System at Point Du Bois and the University.

At Saskatoon, which was reached Friday morning, the visitors took part in the formal opening of the new chemical laboratories of the University of Saskatchewan. Several of the various sessions also held meetings, and a number of papers were read. Afternoon tea on the University grounds and a picnic at the Forestry Station followed.

DELIVER ADDRESSES

All day Saturday was spent in Edmonton. Several meetings were held at the University there and there was an official welcome from the Lieutenant Governor and the Premier of the Province. In the evening following a banquet tendered them by the University they conducted a public meeting at which addresses were delivered by Sir David Brewster, Sir John Russell, Sir William Beveridge and Dr. J. S. Plaskett.

Sunday they spent in the Rocky Mountains with a stop over at Jasper Park Lodge as the guests of the Canadian National Railways and then a brief one at Mount Robson, en route to Vancouver.

The delegates stopped off for four hours at Jasper Park. All members of the party were charged with the duty of making a short visit, which they did, and along the way saw a great deal of the country. The whole party was entertained by the Canadian National Railways which provided a fleet of motor cars and a large number of horses which took the delegates to the Mount Robson and along a number of the Mountain Trails. They were driven first to the lodge which they inspected and some of them cleared for the party with its situation, and related that he was no stranger to the grounds, having had occasion to attend a school picnic there four years ago, and he remarked on the many improvements which had since taken place. He also stressed the advantage of the district in having such a ground available for the school children for land and water sports.

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WILL NOT SHOW IN THIS CITY

Young Australian League Boys From British Empire Exhibition Due Sept. 24

The Young Australia League boys who have been touring the Old Country after an appearance at the British Empire Exhibition at Wembley will be unable to stage a show in Victoria en route home, according to John Tucker, the advance representative, who arrived at the Dominion Hotel Saturday, leaving yesterday for California.

The boys will spend just one month in Canada, having arrived at Quebec on Saturday, and will make a series of appearances at a number of leading points. They will reach Vancouver in time to catch the next outward sailing of the steamer Niagara after a most extensive and successful tour.

The Canadian tours of 1911 and 1914 were very satisfactory, according to Mr. Tucker, who is closely allied with Lieut. J. J. Symons, who organized the movement, and personally conducted two parties through Victoria in the years named. Mr. Symons, who has taken a leading part in public affairs since he was here, and was for two years a member of the West Australian Assembly, is now touring Australia, organizing branches of the League. There has been one branch in New South Wales for some time, but it is felt, Mr. Tucker pointed out, that other states should establish these opportunities for the boys to travel, and see the world at a receptive age.

One extensive tour is now contemplated, the agent stated, to begin in November, and which will be rather expensive owing to the wide territory to be covered.

These gatherings, now inter-empire in extent, were formerly restricted to the Australian states, but have proved most effective. Each boy has to have the talent to contribute something to the general welfare, as musician, secretarial assistant or some phase, so that each knows he is partly responsible for the success of the various itineraries.

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Extra Values in New Merchandise and School Supplies

Fall Suits For Women

The strictly tailored type of suit will again be popular for early fall wear. We have just received a number of new models, mostly in black and navy, mostly of extra fine quality. The coats are knee length, slashed at the sides, with sleeves cut on mannish lines. Some are finished with smart little jab pockets, while others have bands of self material embroidered with arrow heads and other semi-tailored effects. The skirts are shown somewhat shorter than last season and slightly fuller at the hem line. Sizes 16 to 40. Price \$49.50

Another line of new Fall suits shown in mannish serges with invisible stripes. These are priced at \$59.50

Crepe de Chine Dressing Jackets

Made from good wearing crepe de Chine and trimmed with Val lace and insertion. Shown in ivory, sky and flesh. Price \$4.98

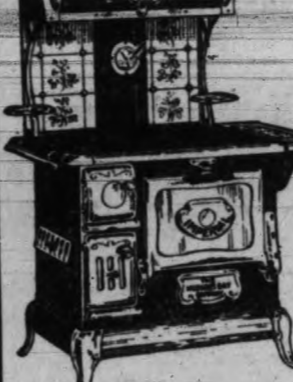
Princess Slips

Satinette Slips
With strap shoulder, gathered at sides, in colors of henna, orchid, pink, green and navy. Prices, \$1.69, \$1.98, \$2.50

Tricotee Slips
Excellent wearing garments, with strap shoulder, elastic top and sides, shadow proof, in black, navy, fawn and grey. Price \$5.95

Silk Princess Slips
In navy and white, also in heavy satin in navy and black. Price \$7.50

Second Floor



A New Shipment of Imperial Ranges Just Received

We have just received another carload of ranges, the shipment received last month was entirely sold out.

The absolute reliability of Hudson's Bay Imperial Range is one of the main factors in its ever-increasing popularity. Built from the highest grade of material by men of skill and experience, the Imperial Range gives perfect satisfaction in baking and heating with a minimum use of fuel.

Consolidated buying for our long chain of stores enables us to place this range on the market at a price that defies competition.

16-Inch Oven Imperial Range, fitted with high warming closet, polished steel top, graduated oven damper, white enameled oven door with thermometer, nickel-plated towel bar and heavy nickel-plated base. Price \$59.00

Same style as above with tile back. Price \$69.00

Water fronts \$5.00 each

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St. Prince Rupert or Prince George leaves Vancouver Monday, Wednesday and Saturday for Prince Rupert, the Monday boat also making the Anyox call, and the Wednesday boat making the Stewart call.

Rail connections at Prince Rupert daily except Sunday for Jasper National Park and Eastern points. Tickets issued and baggage checked through from Victoria.

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Get Ready For School

Vacation on its last lap—school days ahead. Mothers as well as children must turn their thoughts in that direction. Mothers will do well to visit this store and get the best there is in suits and dresses, shoes, coats and hats, as well as other school supplies for their girls and boys.

Boys' Suits With Two Pairs of Bloomers, \$8.95
Made from good wearing tweeds, in grey, brown and blue mixtures. Smart belted coats and full cut bloomers, lined throughout. An extra pair of bloomers with every suit. Sizes to fit boys 7 to 16 years. Price, with extra bloomers or straight pants \$8.95

Wool Jazz Caps
Six hundred of these all-wool Jazz Caps in all colors and all sizes. Price 15¢

All-wool Jerseys
Universal Brand All-wool Jerseys in bright colors with novelty colored stripes across the chest. Made with collar and elastic fitting cuffs. Sizes 5 to 15 years. Price \$1.65

School Color Pullover Sweaters
All-wool Knitted Pullover Sweaters with smart shawl collar; shown in all the school colors. Sizes 8 to 14 years. Price \$2.55

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Percale Waists
Made from good wearing Percale in neat colored stripes. All have neat pointed collar attached. Will give good wear. Sizes 5 to 15 years. Price \$1.15

School Caps
Made of good wearing tweeds and worsted ends, lined with cotton in a shape that will

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Outsider Wins Times Swim For First Time

Johnny Cameron, of Vancouver, First Swimmer to Defeat Audrey Griffin, Queen of Deep, in Eight Years; Tom Wellburn Chases Winner For Long Way But Was Forced Out by Cramps; Huge Crowds Watched Classic Water Event

Audrey Griffin, queen of the deep, has at last been conquered in the Times long distance swim through Victoria but it required outside help to accomplish the feat. After winning this premier aquatic event of the Pacific Northwest for the past eight years Audrey tasted defeat on Saturday afternoon when Johnny Cameron, of Vancouver, left her in his wake and won by about 200 yards.

It was the first time in the history of the swim that an outsider has been victorious. Victoria has always been able to produce the winner and for the past eight years with Audrey Griffin entered it was always a foregone conclusion as to who would win. The best men and women swimmers from the mainland have endeavored to lower the colors of the Victoria mermaid but have always been forced to acknowledge defeat.

THE OLD ORDER CHANGETH

This year, however, the change came. Cameron, the only outsider in the race, had the speed and endurance to topple the honors from Audrey's sunburnt brow. Using a strong overarm stroke and powerful leg, Cameron swept over the distance in 1 hour, 9 minutes and 13 seconds. This was seven minutes slower than the time made by Audrey Griffin last year, but there was absolutely no tide favoring the swimmers this year. Had the tide been as strong as last year there is no doubt that the record established by Audrey would have been shattered.

Cameron finished with considerable speed but he was groggy when his hands touched the raft at the Gorge Bridge. He had to be assisted from the water and his first words were: "Where is she?"

Everyone thought he had reference to Audrey Griffin and proceeded to tell Cameron that his chief opponent was 200 yards away.

"Oh, yes," he exclaimed and collapsed on the float, complaining of a cramp in one of his legs.

WELCOMES AUDREY

Willing hands rubbed him vigorously and he was able to regain his feet a few minutes later. Audrey, who was waiting at the Gorge, shouted some one to Audrey.

"I don't mind being beaten by a good sport," replied Audrey and put her arm on Cameron's shoulder and patted him on the back.

Audrey was as fresh as a daisy when she climbed out on the raft and the same can be said for Gracie Wellburn, who finished third.

Women certainly can stand the water better than the men. Bert Buller, the fourth one to finish, was in fine fettle while the victor, Cameron, who was fifth said he felt like swimming back to town.

A SPLENDID START

Fourteen swimmers hopped off the Causeway float at 2:45 o'clock and began the long race to the Gorge. Three thousand people crowded the stone wall and cheered as the swimmers plunged in. All the way along the route the wharves and bridges and the crowds of spectators were cheering. When the swimmers were nearing the Johnson Street bridge a tugboat blew for the bridge to open. The swimmers were forced to bridge to be cleared but the people refused to leave and the tugboat had to wait until the leaders had passed under the bridge before there was any chance of the bascule swinging up on end.

It was early apparent that the race was to be more of a speed contest between Tommy Wellburn and Johnny Cameron. Before the G.T.P. dock was reached this pair was out in front with Audrey Griffin trailing a few yards behind them. As the race progressed the swimmers began to spread out over the harbor with the two men tearing along in front. Cameron and Wellburn held the lead and Cameron's steady overarm stroke and his long legs were the cause of his lead.

They pulled away from Audrey Griffin with Gracie Wellburn fourth and Buller fifth.

WELLBURN DROPS OUT

The positions remained unchanged at Point Ellice. Wellburn and Cameron saw-sawed in the lead, first one gaining a yard or two and then the other moving to the front. This continued until the C.N.R. bridge was passed. Shortly after Wellburn, who had a short lead, was seen to alter in his stroke and then he knew him quickly interpreted his trouble. He had been seized with a cramp. He tried to strike out again but was unable to proceed and was hauled out of the water. It was a cruel blow not only to Wellburn's courage and ambitions but also to the hundreds of people who followed the race in boats and on shore. They had looked for one of the greatest finishes in the history of the race. This is the third year in succession in which Wellburn's chances of winning have been snuffed out.

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WINNERS IN TIMES LONG-DISTANCE SWIM SATURDAY



From left to right—Johnny Cameron of Vancouver, the winner, looking with pride at his trophies; Gracie Wellburn, of the V.A.S.C., who finished third; Bert Buller, of the V.A.S.C., who was fourth, and Audrey Griffin, of the V.L.A.A., who was second.

Coast Fans Will See Inter-league Hockey This Year

F. Patrick Predicts Interesting Development at Prairie League Meeting

Vancouver, Aug. 25.—That there will be inter-league hockey between the Pacific Coast Hockey Association and the Western Canada League is a certainty according to a statement attributed to Frank Patrick, president of the Coast League, before leaving for Calgary last night to attend the annual meeting of the prairie hockey heads at Calgary on Tuesday.

On the makeup of the Coast League this year, Mr. Patrick had nothing to say.

He predicts developments of an interesting nature at the annual session of the prairie men. Just what to expect he would not say. He said, when he was asked, that inter-league games would be continued and that, undoubtedly, during the meeting, definite plans would be laid for the world's series which would be designed to avoid the confusion of last year.

The next world's series for the Stanley Cup will be played in the West, and some step or steps will be taken to have the playoffs definitely and satisfactorily arranged before the eve of the actual contests.

It is stated that Pete Muldoon has not abandoned hope of an arena being ready in Seattle this winter in time for a photograph.

Portland, which has a rink, Mr. Muldoon informs, is ripe for hockey.

Mosher's Leg Must Be Broken Again to Heal up Properly

Vancouver, Aug. 25.—Harry Mosher, peer of soccer goalies, went into hospital again this morning, his injured leg has not been healing as well as expected and it was examined by a local physician yesterday morning who pronounced the limb so badly set that it will have to be rebroken to knit properly.

The player, who belongs to the Varsity team, broke his leg on the shinbone, July 2, while playing for the all-Canada eleven against the pick of Melbourne, in Australia. The bone was set by Dr. McClure of Melbourne and has been allowed to heal for six weeks.

Poor progress with the healing rendered an examination necessary on arrival here. Mosher is very disappointed because the leg has not healed properly for he said yesterday that it may mean he will lose his place on the Varsity team.

Chapman, the other of the tourists to Australia who was injured, is progressing well and is expected to play again before the season has been long started.

Tennis Stars of Various Nations Seek U.S. Title

New York, Aug. 25.—The forty-fourth annual tournament from which the tennis singles champion of America will emerge, starts to-day at Forest Hills. Since the leading stars of various nations are entered the winner will be unofficial champion of the world.

William T. Tilden II of Philadelphia, defending champion, will receive a sharp test to-day when he meets Manuel Alonso of Spain, the only man who has defeated the champion in singles play this season.

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Visit of English Team Leaves B.C. Football in Hole

Receipts From Corinthians' Games Fall \$2,000 Shy of Guarantee

Vancouver, Aug. 25.—British Columbia football is in a big hole as a result of the visit of the Corinthians. This much is gleaned from President Jim Haislett of the provincial governing body, after Saturday's luncheon. The Coast Province guaranteed the tourists \$4,800 and the receipts are \$2,800 short and a number of bills for entertainment and incidentals have not yet been filed.

The receipts at Nanaimo were approximately \$800, at Victoria \$240, and for both games at Vancouver \$1,800.

Indications point to the lack of success of the Corinthians on the field being responsible for, according to Sam Davidson, secretary of the Dominion body, it was not until the tourists reached Winnipeg, that the receipts began to fall down.

Calgary was another place where the receipts were disappointing.

ALL-STAR BEATEN

Vancouver, Aug. 25.—Coated the All-star Canadian football team, just home from its tour of Australia, by two goals to one. Canada took the lead five minutes after the game started, following a brilliant piece of play by Forrest, outside right. The ball was swung across the field by Stobart; Forrest trapped it, beat two men while on the move, and at fifteen yards range, slammed a low ball into the corner of the net.

Ten minutes before the interval the Corinthians equalized. They attacked on the right wing, and the ball was crossed to Creek, who played the ball back, singhanded, before shooting. The two backs sandwiched him, and Stobart jumped on him. A penalty was the result, and Morrison scored easily with a ground shot.

After the interval, Corinthians took the lead in the play. The Canadian backs were caught on the half turn, and with Knight well up, that player found himself clean through when the ball was pushed forward into the middle of the field. He advanced and shot. The ball bounced on to the line, and Anderson, in his eagerness to scoop the ball out, kicked it into his own net.

MANITOBA CHAMPION

Winnipeg, Aug. 25.—F. F. Tribe, of the Norwood Golf Club, won the amateur golf championship of Manitoba on Saturday, defeating Jack Cutbert, the titleholder and champion of Western Canada, six up and four to go. The former champion was much below form, especially on the greens, his putting being far from accurate. The strain of his strenuous play at Saskatoon a week ago showed plainly in his efforts.

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Ottawa is Making Record Offer For Great Joe Simpson

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"We have made Kenney MacKenzie the greatest offer we have ever made for a hockey star," Mr. Gorman said. "That is all we can say in the matter at present. The negotiations are confidential."

MacKenzie is said to have asked for Nighbor, Benedict, Broadbent and Denenny, or \$15,000 cash for Simpson. Frank Patrick, of the Vancouver Maroons, is said to have bid up to \$10,000 for the Edmonton speed marvel. Officers of the Ottawa club refused to discuss a Winnipeg report that they had offered Frank Nighbor for Simpson.

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Collett, b Wilkinson 0
Butterworth, b J. H. Gillespie 0
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Frank Thomas Is Medalist In City Golf Tournament

Colwood Golfer Wins Honor in Playoff With A. V. Price of Uplands

Good Scores Made in Qualifying Round For Honors at Uplands Course

Frank Thomas, the prize golfer of the Colwood Golf Club, won the honor of leading the qualifying round in the city golf championship at the Uplands Golf Club yesterday. At the end of the 36 holes Thomas was tied with A. V. Price of Uplands with 151.

The two played off for the honor right afterwards over nine holes, and Thomas won, taking 39 strokes while Price required 42.

Price was low man on the morning round with a 75. Thomas took a 77, but in the afternoon he shot the best round of the day, 74. Price took a 74 and this brought them all square.

Walter Brynjolfson, of Uplands finished third, his afternoon round of 75 offsetting his 76 in the morning.

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At the long twelfth, which is bogey six, he holed a 15-yard mashie niblick shot for an "eagle" three. Not content with this he went to the thirteenth and scored an "eagle" two, holing out with his mashie niblick from the woods.

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R. J. Darcus	77	77	154
S. H. de Carteret	76	80	156
C. P. W. Schwengers	80	77	157
A. G. Beasley	82	75	157
F. W. Coldwell	82	75	157
J. M. Wood	78	82	160
E. Burton	78	82	160
H. P. Hodges	84	76	160
G. Peasey	81	80	161
W. H. M. Haldane	81	82	163
H. P. Johnson	83	80	163
J. Caven	81	84	165
R. Foulis	82	83	165
B. P. Schwengers	85	81	166
W. L. Macintosh	86	81	167

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BETTY IS SCINTILLATING JEWEL IN HUMAN STORY FEATURING LIFE ON BROAD SOUTH AFRICAN VELD

"The Female," as Told by Cynthia Stockley in "Dalla, the Lion Cub," With Betty Compson up, Showing at Dominion Theatre

Johannesburg, South Africa, is one of those places everybody hopes to visit some time, and few ever see.

But when Cynthia Stockley set out to write "Dalla, the Lion Cub," which became one of her most popular stories, she had an accurate fund of knowledge of the people, their lives and customs from which to draw.

And when Agnes Christine Johnston wrote "The Female," a screen adaptation from the Stockley story, and when Sam Wood, the producer, set out to film it with Betty Compson as the star, they enlisted the aid of men and women who had actually lived in that little-known land as technical advisers in every step.

"The Female" is a tremendously human story written around the tangled lives of a woman and two men, it sets out in perfect detail the lives, customs and people of South Africa.

Miss Compson takes the part of

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she was lost in the veldt and mothered by a lioness. Nella, the English sportsman. This part is taken by Warner Baxter. She falls in love with him, but his malicious friends, including another woman who loves him, spread malicious gossip about Nella. She yearns to be like the English women so that she may give them a taste of their own medicine.

Beery proposes that she marry him, vowing that she need not be his wife in fact until she has spent three years in England. She accepts. They are married and Nella sails away, trying to smother her love for Baxter, to begin her course of study of English ways.

Three years later she comes back to Johannesburg, and a marvelous transition has taken place. She went away a primitive; she returns a dazzling creature in the bloom of womanhood, faultlessly gowned and prepared to meet the tactics of the English women with their own methods—scorn for scorn, guile for guile.

Then begins her systematic campaign. She still resists the advances of old Dimple, her guardian and her husband, and attempts to lure Baxter into admission of his love for her. As a part of her plan she engineers a lion hunting expedition into the jungle, which places her alone with Baxter and two other white persons—a woman and her brother who is infatuated with Nella. Oompe, plunging into the jungle in pursuit, comes upon the lonely camp at night, and then the story winds to a thundering climax with a clash of tremendous situations.

Appearing in the support of the star in "The Female," which is at the Dominion Theatre this week, are Warner Baxter, leading man; Noah Berry, Dorothy Cumming, Helen Butler, Pauline French, Edgar Norton, Florence Wix and others.

"In the Shadows of Whitechapel" is Columbia Offering

English Melodrama Showing This Week Will Provide Lots of Thrills

Who amongst us that did not sit in the gallery and enjoy the thrills of the melodramatic successes of other years? How we missed the villain, cheered the hero and loved the heroine, how we laughed and roared at the antics of the comedian, the realistic fires, train wrecks, horse races and stirring rescues. Shall we ever forget them? Impossible. The old traditions of entertainment must be kept intact and with this end in view and with the facilities for visualizing the big punch scenes on their actual locations in a real and true manner, Hepworth Films of London, have produced "In the Shadows of Whitechapel." Conceded to be the biggest of England's big melodramas, London and the provinces have taken it to their hearts and practically overnight this sensational motion picture production has attained a smashing success. The English press, without a dissenting voice, have endorsed and actually labelled it the biggest of England's big melodramas. A vivid picture of the slums with their joys and sorrows, love and laughter, their quaint mannerisms and quaint "lingo," which is presented in a true story of life in London. "In the Shadows of Whitechapel" is being shown at Columbia Theatre.

"Lady of Quality" As Attraction at the Pantages Theatre

Screen Version of Frances Hodgson Burnett's Novel; Universal Picture

The picturization of Frances Hodgson Burnett's book "A Lady of Quality" will prove a big drawing card at the Pantages Theatre this week.

The film is the production of the Universal Pictures Corporation. "A Lady of Quality" is, of course, elaborately produced. The star is Virginia Hall, portraying the winsome heroine, Countess of Dunstanwolde, nee Chlorinda Wildairs. Her personal characteristics of beauty and manner contribute a charming sincerity to her portrayal. To many she will represent the ideal type the author had in mind.

This is Miss Valli's first starring appearance under the long-term contract which she signed with the Universal Pictures Corporation following her highly commended work in "The Storm." This production was directed by Hobart Henley, whose productions, such as "The Flirt" and "The Flame of Life," have been leading Universal attractions.

Vancouver Races

Vancouver, Aug. 24.—Another splendidly contested races marked the close of the second seven-day meet at Brighouse Park on Saturday. The results follow:

First Race—Five furlongs: Rochester, \$4.25, \$2.45, \$1.25, won; Hainburg, \$2.40, \$2.50, second; Roy Schee, \$3.55 third. Time, 1:02.

Second Race—Five and a half furlongs: Nantucket, \$4.75, \$4.80, \$2.80, won; Dr. Hall, \$11.35, \$4.10, second; Candy Lady, \$2.35, third. Time, 1:08.

Third Race—Five and a half furlongs: Blue Miss won, \$7.50, \$1.50, \$3.50; Con Carne, second, \$2.50, \$1.50; Nick Klein, third, \$5.25. Time, 1:08 1-5.

Fourth Race—Mile and one-half: Reeb, \$13.50, \$7.65, \$5.45, won; Jack Fairman, \$11.50, \$5.55, second; Blarney Stone, \$5.15, third. Time, 1:51 2-5.

Fifth Race—Six furlongs: Old Sinner, \$6.65, \$2.55, \$2.85, won; Cromwell, \$3.20, \$2.25, second; Cornstalk, \$3.15, third. Time, 1:13 4-5.

Sixth Race—Five and a half furlongs: My Reverie, \$7.75, \$2.55, \$2.40, won; End Man, \$7.35, \$5.15, second; Goldstein, \$4.10, third. Time, 1:07.

Seventh Race—Mile and a sixteen: Casey, \$23.20, \$9.10, \$5.55, won; Joe Underwood, \$4.40, \$1.50, second; Regal Lodge, \$3.50, third. Time, 1:43 1-5.

MAE BUSCH PLAYS LEADING ROLE IN GOLDWYN'S FILM "BREAD" NOW BEING SCREENED AT CAPITOL HERE

Australian Star, Famed as Vamp, Bridged Chasm and Landed Safe in Sympathetic Roles

Mae Busch, who plays in "Bread," the Metro-Goldwyn picture which is playing at the Capitol Theatre all this week, has accomplished the impossible. She has done something that just "isn't done" in motion pictures.

She first attained prominence on the screen in adventures and "vamp" roles, turned abruptly from that and now is just as definitely established in the portrayal of sympathetic parts.

It is a wide chasm to bridge. Many players have tried for years to hurdle the hazard but without success. Miss Busch made her first motion picture appearance as a Sennett bathing girl. Her feat in rising from two-reel comedies to a secure place among leading women was remarkable in itself.

Then came Erich von Stroheim's "Foolish Wives." After this picture in which she stood out with marked prominence as the adventures. It was taken for granted that Miss Busch would continue to play similar parts in other pictures. But in "Name the Man," "The Christian" and "Brothers Under the Skin" she had particularly sympathetic roles.

Miss Busch was born in Melbourne, Australia, where her father conducted an orchestra and her mother sang in grand opera. At the age of twelve she attended school at St. Elizabeth's Convent, Madison, N.J., where she also prepared to follow a musical career.

Elise Junis, later having heard her sing, introduced her to Charles Dillingham who made her understudy to Lillian Lorraine for "Over the River" starring Eddie Foy. Before the show opened, Miss Lorraine left and Mae Busch was given the leading role which she played throughout a successful Broadway run.

She then appeared in Jesse L. Lasky's "The Beauties," a girl show being presented on the Orpheum circuit. Her next appearance was in San Francisco where she played the leading role in "Damaged Goods" with Edmund Lowe. At the close of this engagement she accepted Mack Sennett's offer and became one of the famous Mack Sennett Bathing Girls.

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Kenyon, Edmund Brees, Robert Edmon, Effie Shannon, J. Barney Sherry and Charles Gerrard.

YOUR HEALTH

WHAT VACCINATION DOES TO GUARD AGAINST SMALLPOX

By Royal S. Capeland, M.D.

It continues to be true that smallpox prevails where vaccination is neglected. On this account it is unfortunate that many conscientious persons object to its practice and refuse to share its benefits.

When I give serious thought to this problem my mind reverts to Saint Paul's letter to the Corinthians. In this the Evangelist discusses the question as to whether or not one should eat the meat which has been offered to idols. He says:

"Neither if we eat, are we the better; neither if we eat not, are we the worse." Paul's conclusion is: "Wherefore, if I will eat no flesh while the world standeth."

I must be careful in my exegesis of the scriptures or the conscientious

objector to vaccination may turn my argument against me. He may say I should give up vaccination because it offends him.

But let us see:

The great bulk of popular and scientific belief is on the side of vaccination as a means of protection against smallpox. To proclaim against it offends almost the entire civilized population. The objector sets his personal opinion against the world.

I would have no word to say if going without vaccination were of consequence to nobody; but the individual in question. Unfortunately, however, every unvaccinated person is regarded by the scientific world as a menace to all the rest of society. If he becomes infected he carries the dread disease to other unvaccinated persons and may even transmit it in mild form to one who was vaccinated a long time ago.

It must be plain that the conscientious objector is giving physical offense, or the fear of it, to all the rest of society. Is not the Pauline doctrine, therefore, one which may be applied here?

The objector disbelieves in the virtue of vaccination. If, as Paul says, neither are we the better or the worse if we indulge, is it not right, then

for the sake of saving society from what it believes to be the possible danger of infection with a terrible disease, to submit to the simple procedure of vaccination?

On another occasion I shall discuss the real and imaginary dangers of vaccination, but that appeal must be made to another group than the one I have in mind just now.

In closing I want to speak of an epidemic of smallpox which swept Glasgow, Scotland, a few years ago. It happened to be there at the time and had occasion to study the results among children under sixteen. One week there were eighty-three cases in this age group. Of these, sixty-two had never been vaccinated. Twenty-one had been vaccinated in early youth, but in spite of this took the disease.

At once somebody will ask what is the value of vaccination since it failed to protect the twenty-one children? This is the answer:

Of the sixty-two unvaccinated, eighteen died. Of the twenty-one who had been vaccinated not one died.

Vaccination, if recent, is an almost certain protection against smallpox. In any case it is an almost sure protection against violence and death.

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Stage

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—Four new productions are scheduled to open this week on Broadway. Thus the hopeful producers may announce the opening of the grand fall season—bigger and better than ever.

And if Broadway ever needed the transfusion of a little new blood into its emaciated body, this is the time. For a fortnight, business has hit rock bottom. The thermometer so lost control of its activities that no other shows could compete with it.

With the exception of the "Scandals," "Follies" and "Kid Boots," and "Able's Irish Rose," the box office bookkeeping has all been done on the debit side.

"Dancing Mothers" steps in with Mary Young, Helen Hayes, John Halliday and Henry Stephenson in large type.

The following night "Marjorie" brings back Elizabeth Hines, the youthful musical comedy star, to the accompaniment of a Sigmund Romberg score.

"No Other Girl" does her stuff the night after "Marjorie," and has Eddie Russell and Helen Ford as the featured players. "Easy Street" follows, featuring Mary Newcomb.

While there are no staggering names there, and the first offerings of the season sometimes linger no longer than a week or so on the Gay White Way, still this is the most

excitement we have had theatrically in several weeks and the first nighters have something to look forward to.

Hope Hampton has been selected by Charles Dillingham to star in his opera, "Madame Pompadour," which will open soon. Hope has continued her musical education during the years she was in the silent drama, as it is called.

The Greenwich Village Theatre announces it will begin the season with a drama by Stark Young, "The Saint," followed by Eugene O'Neill's "Desire Under the Elms," Rostand's "The Last Night of Don Juan" and Copeau's version of "The Brothers Karamazov," by Stark Young, and a revival of "A Gilbert and Sullivan revival."

The Provincetown Playhouse will open with a drama by Edmund Wilson, "The Crime in the Whistler Room," and follow with O'Neill's "The Great God Brown" and "The Columnade," by Stark Young, and a revival of "Love for Love," by Congreve.

Johnny Burke, the monologist, has been selected to replace Frank Tinney in "The Music Box."

Elaine La Tour, the god-child of Queen Mary of England, will appear as the premiere danseuse at the opening of the New York Hippodrome.

Book Review

By Prof. W. T. Allison

Stephen McKenna, author of "To-morrow and To-morrow," a brilliant novel dealing with post-war life in England, was born in England in 1886. He was educated first at the Westminster School, then at Christ Church, Oxford, where he received his B.A. in 1909. His health was poor



LARGEST CAMPING CAR YET TO VISIT ISLAND

"Ukiah," the finest and largest camping car that has ever come north over the Pacific Highway to British Columbia, shown as it came off the Canadian Pacific automobile ferry, the Motor Princess, at Sidney, Vancouver Island, having crossed from Bellingham, Wash. The Motor Princess has the largest automobile capacity of any ferry on the gulf and took care of the 9 ft. 2 in. height of this big California car with ease.

H. T. Hopper, millionaire banker of Ukiah, Cal., is the owner of this luxurious \$18,000 automobile, and with a party of friends has enjoyed an extended tour over the excellent roads of the Pacific Northwest and Vancouver Island. Pullman berths, running water, electric lights and a fine radio set are a few of the "modern improvements" of the "Ukiah."

then, as it is now, and his father, who is a brother of the Right Hon. Reginald McKenna, made it possible for him to travel and devote himself to a literary career. His first three novels were written before he was twenty-seven. For three and a half years of the war he was in the British War Trade Intelligence Department, and was its representative with the Balfour Mission to the United States in 1917. Mr. McKenna is a bachelor and lives in London.

Edison Marshall was born in Rensselaer, Indiana, in 1894. When he was a boy his parents moved to Oregon. He attended the University of Oregon, 1912-15, leaving before graduation in order to give more time to his writing. His novels show three stages of development. "The Voice of the Pack," "The Strength of the Pines," and "Shepherds of the Wild" were adventure novels, pure and simple. His more recent novels, "The Snowshoe Trail," "The Sky Line of Spruce," "The Isle of Retribution," and "The Land of Forgotten Men" are adventure stories in which human drama plays a larger part than in the earlier novels. His latest, "Seward's Folly," is a historical novel, with its scenes laid in Alaska just before its purchase by the United States by Secretary of State Seward. It has just been published by Little, Brown & Company. Mr. Marshall is married and lives in Oregon.

Olive Schreiner, author of that very famous novel, "The Story of an African Farm," which I am glad to see has just been published in a new edition, was born in Basutoland, South Africa, in 1855, the daughter of a missionary and his wife, and was educated at home and through her own reading; her extraordinary mental ability made her, nevertheless, one of the most brilliant women of her time. She began writing "The Story of an African Farm," which she first intended to call "Thorn Kloof," when she was twenty years old, and a governess at a Boer farm in the wild veldt. She completed it in 1879, and in the next year sent it to England. It did not find a publisher, and was returned to her, but in 1881 she went to England with it herself, where it was published in 1883 over the pseudonym "Ralph Iron." Its immediate success and her

own unique personality made her a leader in the growing movement for greater independence for women. In 1894 she married G. C. Cronwright-Schreiner of South Africa, who is the author of "The Life of Olive Schreiner," recently published. They had one child, who died in 1919, shortly after birth. Olive Schreiner died in 1920 in South Africa. With her daughter and a pet fox terrier she is buried in a mausoleum of ironstone on Buffels Kop, a solitary, rugged mountain in the midst of the veldt.

According to A. T. Shurick in his "The Coal Industry," just published by Little, Brown & Company, the first authentic record of the use of coal was in 300 B.C., when it was used in Greece for smithing purposes. Coal was mined extensively in England during the Roman occupation, but the earliest authenticated record of its use there was in 552 A.D.

"American Addresses," a collection of the public addresses made by Dr. Chaim Weizmann, president of the World Zionist Organization, during his visit to the United States in 1923, has just been brought out in Berlin with a foreword by Professor Albert Einstein, known to the world for his theory of relativity. Professor Einstein was the first distinguished scholar to volunteer to join the Faculty of the Hebrew University on the Mount of Olives, which is one of the principal features of the Zionist programme in Palestine. The American edition of Dr. Weizmann's addresses, published by the Palestine Foundation Fund, has a foreword by Samuel Untermyer, president of the American branch of the fund.

Warden Lewis E. Lawes of Sing Sing Prison is the author of "Man's Judgment of Death," recently published by G. P. Putnam's Sons. The book is described as a record of the author's conviction of the futility of capital punishment.

The Metropolitan Newspaper Service Syndicate of New York City has bought the second serial rights to Mrs. Winnifred Reeve's Alberta novel, "Cattle," which will begin to run in American newspapers within the next few months. Arrangements have also been made for a cheap edition of the book and a special photograph edition to be published simultaneously with the appearance of the

story upon the screen. The book is having a large sale in the United States and big displays of it are in the windows of the Los Angeles book stores.

The death of Joseph Conrad, one of the most distinguished novelists of our time, will no doubt call forth a flood of articles in which critics will endeavor to appraise his work. It is only within the last ten years that Conrad has become a widely read author. Up to 1916 he made barely enough out of his works to provide him with a very slender income. He is dead at the comparatively early age of sixty-seven, but he has had the satisfaction of abundant recognition from the foremost critics in the English-speaking world. Copies of early editions of his books have brought very large sums during the last few years, and so far as his contemporaries can judge, he is an English classic. His own career is as romantic as almost any of his stories. Born in the heart of Poland, he conceived in his boyhood a passion for the sea. He left home, found his way to a port, and until he was forty years of age followed the sea. Although Conrad acquired English while he was sailing the Seven Seas, and although he did not write any stories before the age of forty, even his earliest work shows a mastery of English style. "Lord Jim" is perhaps his best novel.

Walter de la Mare, the English poet, was recently awarded an L.L.D. degree by St. Andrew's University. In presenting him for the degree, the Dean of Faculty said: "We can hardly be wrong in the belief that Mr. de la Mare deserves, and will retain, attention as one who set himself and his age peculiar standards of artistry and suggestiveness in phrase, in rhythm, and in rhyme."

In unveiling a portrait of Lord Morley at the National Liberal Club lately, Mr. Augustine Birrell declared that Morley was not so acerbic as some people supposed. He enjoyed after-dinner talk with friends, and at little social dinners which he arranged, even in his old age, at hotels and restaurants and in his home, he welcomed youth to his table as much as maturity. But youth had to justify itself in its conversation to gain a second bidding, for Morley,

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according to Mr. Birrell, was exacting. He required that his young guest, as well as the older, should have broad sympathies with the whole human family, and he required also what Mr. Birrell called "avoidance of the heartless folly of paradox and the shushy attitude of platitudes."

Sir Charles Hawtrey, a famous English actor, who died just a year ago, left behind him an autobiography, "The Truth At Last"—a little book which has been widely read and suggested by the fact that his greatest stage successes were in characters that were fluent and resourceful. This volume, which will be published this Fall, contains the following foreword: "Having so often played the part of a prevaricator on the stage, I have chosen the title for my Reminiscences to assure my readers that, though in these pages I still pose as a story-teller, they

may accept with confidence what I have written as the truth at last."

The most amusing published blurb that I have seen for some time is an announcement of the publication of Elinor Glyn's new story, "The Price of Things," which are modestly informed in "the most sensational novel ever written." The blurb is as follows: "Here is a novel that will open your eyes. Each succeeding chapter grows more daring. From the Magic Pen of Elinor Glyn flows a throbbing tale of audacious characters, startling incidents, sensational situations, daring scenes, thrill after thrill. So realistic is the charm, the fire, and the passion of this fiercely sweet romance, that the reader, who has been so long in the land of the unreal, seems to find his face. Your blood races madly at the unconditional surrender of the delicious heroine. You kiss her madly

and seem to draw her very soul through her lips!"

A copy of the first edition of Isaac Walton's "Compleat Angler" brought \$225 at a recent sale in London. It is stated, however, that another copy was bought in an Indian bazaar for fourpence about the same time.

A librarian who was recently asked to recommend some novels suitable for hot-weather reading, jestingly suggested the following: Porter's "Freddie," Ballen's "Call of the Deep," Stacey's "Beach of Dreams," Phelps' "Sandy Side," Collins' "Woman in White," Rowland's "In the Shadow," Hocking's "Sweat of Thy Brow," Hardy's "Under the Greenwood Tree," Vachel's "Blinds Down," France's "The Gods Are Athirst," Canfield's "The Bridge Cup," and Burchell's "My Lady of the Bass."

MUSICAL NOTES

By GEORGE J. DYKE

Musical tones are sounds produced by vibrations of the air, which touch the drum of the ear in a rapid, regular and continuous manner.

The return home of our brilliant pianist, and Canada's, Mrs. Gertrude Huntley Green, has already heartened local musical circles. Mrs. Green, with her musical gifts—she plays the violin also beautifully—her enthusiasm, advice and example, have all been missed since her European sojourn, and the coming Winter season will be greatly benefitted by the very musical atmosphere of her presence. Particularly has her lovely voice to concert managers been invaluable and timely and encouraging. She possesses that rare faculty of telling her musical friends, rightly and forcefully that they must support and take a personal interest in concert affairs.

In the course of the six and a half years since the appointment at the Dominion cinema house on Yates Street of the popular organist, Handley Wells, there are many hundreds here who, week in and week out, have followed with keen interest and much pleasure his career at the console of the Dominion organ. The writer wishes to include himself among all these, and from observation and study can, without fear or favor, say that Mr. Wells during that long period has given continually and unflinchingly his very best efforts, and moreover, being naturally endowed with strong musical instincts and possessing excellent taste and unusual perception in selection and appropriateness, he gives that musical satisfaction and atmosphere of completeness that is rarely found in a sense of sheer delight to his hearers in the musical part he prepares for the daily life of this popular resort. In the present plot of the week, "Monsieur Beaucaire," with Valentino, Bebe Daniels and Lois Wilson in the leading roles, Organist Handley Wells has a splendid lot of numbers in the fifty or more he has selected and plays during his presentation. In our opinion, his choice of Beethoven's famous "Minuet" as the "theme" throughout the picture is not only a happy one, but is particularly adapted to the settings of the production. Some other numbers that especially appeal were represented in such composers as Cesar Franck, Sibelius, Czibulka, Thomas, Edward German, Rossini, Massenet, Ravina, Strakosky, Lock, MacDowell and Elgar. A great deal could be said also of his sub-organist, Miss Irvine, who, when not at the organ console, plays the piano in conjunction with the organ in a most accomplished, tasteful and perceptive manner.

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FINIS—Through the picturesque cemetery of Canterbury, England, marches the funeral cortege of Joseph Conrad, one of the greatest writers of his time. In the group following the body to the grave are scores of famed literary folk.



LOUISIANA TOWN RIPPED BY GALE—Roofs and cornices were torn from buildings, windows were broken and sign boards and awnings were ripped from the fastenings when a tornado swept through St. Charles, La., causing heavy damage. The above picture shows the main street of St. Charles after the twister had passed.

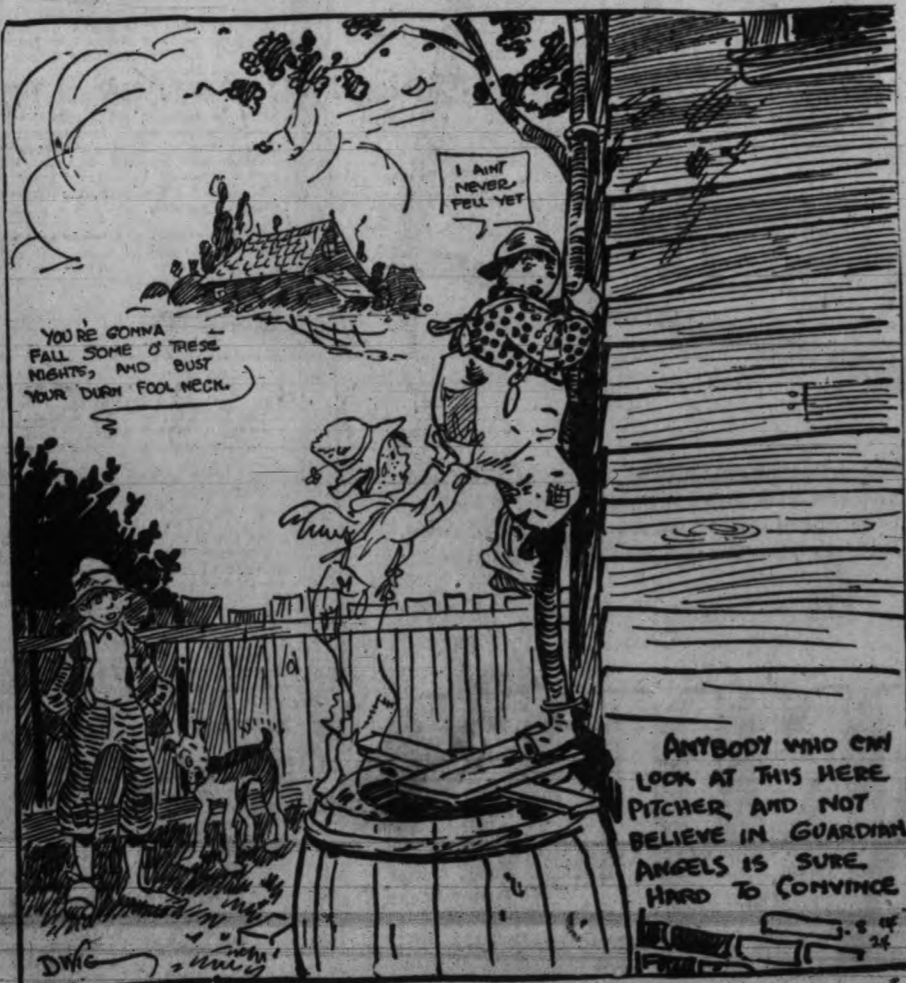


NOTED ORCHESTRA CONDUCTOR—A recent photo of Walter Damrosch, celebrated conductor of New York Symphony Orchestra, his wife and daughter, Mrs. Pennington.

SCHOOL DAYS

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By DWIG



PEACE AID—Sir Baden Powell, who declared at the International Jamboree, just concluded in Copenhagen, Denmark, that the boy scout movement would help to preserve world peace by spreading international understanding and good will.



"BOBBED" BANDIT—Eight taxi drivers have identified Mrs. Ruby Thomas of Kansas City, Mo., as the bobbed hair bandit who held them at the point of a pistol while her husband robbed them. The couple is held under \$45,000 bonds.



ANOTHER NEW BANK HEAD—Arthur F. Waite, newly-elected president of the Standard Bank of Canada.



NEW C.N.R.T. OFFICIALS—The Canadian National Telegraphs announced the appointment of a number of new officials. On the top, left to right, are: R. W. Ball, former superintendent at Montreal who becomes acting general superintendent in charge of commercial and traffic departments; and F. C. Wells who has been made superintendent of the Quebec district and manager of the Montreal office. Below, left to right, H. K. Clark, who is to be superintendent for equipment with headquarters at Toronto; and G. Hogarth, former commerce manager at Toronto, who has been made commercial superintendent with headquarters at Toronto.



CONFER HONOR—Honorary presidency of the International Boys' League was conferred upon President Coolidge by Thomas W. Miles and Simon Zebro of Los Angeles, shown above. This was in accordance with a resolution unanimously passed at the convention of the league held in Paris.



GREAT ITALIAN MATHEMATICIAN ELECTED PRESIDENT—These are the men who will sway the destinies of the International Mathematical Union for the next four years. They were elected at a meeting in Convocation Hall Toronto, which resembled the Biblical scene when the Spirit descended on the apostles and a babble of tongues arose. National aspirations ran high when a representative of the Irish Free State requested that his country be recognized as a full nation entitled to complete representation. From left to right, those in the picture are (rear): Prof. L. E. Phragman, H. Decoulin, and Henri Pecker (front), Prof. A. Koenigs, J. C. Fields, S. Fincherie and W. Young. Prof. Fincherie is the newly appointed president of the union and the others are vice and honorary presidents.



TOES SAVE HER—Supple, vigorous dancing toes of Margaret Wood, Chicago, routed a six-foot unidentified man attacker in the darkness of her room. She was awakened by the choking claws of a man at her throat. Unable to call for help, the dancer managed to plant a heavy kick upon her assailant. The man fled, leaving his cap and handkerchief behind.



U.S. STUDENT BAND "JAZZES UP" BRITISH PLAYERS—When twelve young students of North Carolina University organized a jazz band and started on a tour of Europe, they also started a lot of labor trouble in Britain, as the photo shows. Sandwich men appeared to picket their performances and heated protest was made against the granting of a permit by the Ministry of Labor.



HER EIGHTH HUSBAND—After having her hair bobbed and all "frizzed" up Mrs. Mary Saunders, seventy-four, became the wife of A. J. Fuller, ninety-six, at the Jefferson Davis Confederate Soldiers' Home. It was a gala day at the home. The wedding was solemnized under the beautiful oak trees on the lawn of the home, as Fuller's army buddies looked on. After the wedding the couple journeyed to a photographer so their many grandchildren could have a picture of the event. The groom with pride exclaimed that he is still an "eighteen-year-old" and he tilts his cornucopia pipe at a five years' he proudly boasts. "I really smoke, too. Use a whole pack of tobacco a day." Mrs. Fuller is content to let her new husband talk for the family, but says long life is best attainable through the old tradition: "Early to bed and early to rise."



SHE CAN SMILE—On the tennis court Helen Willis drops her solemn "poker face" and has a ready smile. This informal picture of the California flash was taken at Forest Hills, Long Island, N.Y., during a recess from the trying matches. With her is a young admirer, Elizabeth Hargrave.



YES, DAVIS IS A CHURCHGOER—John W. Davis, Democratic nominee for the presidency, is a regular church attendant. Here he is seen leaving the church at Clarkburg, W. Va., with his two sisters. Their father was one of the founders of the church. The ever-curious small boy was also on hand.

Mars Was Nearest to Earth, Saturday



Above are two telescopic views of Mars made from an observatory in France. The picture on the left shows the planet as it appeared last October. The dark long oblong within the light area is the Solix Lacus and the smaller dark spot is L. Phoenix.

To the right is a view of Mars taken five days later. The canal Ganges, which is seen running straight down to the left darkest dot, was very faint.

Below is an astronomical chart showing the relative positions of the Earth, Sun and Mars on Saturday when Mars was 35,000,000 miles from the earth, while at the other extreme of their orbits the two planets are over 200,000,000 miles apart.

Wall Street TO-DAY

Last Minute News on Stocks
and Financial
Affairs

MODERATE SELLING CONTINUES TO FEATURE

New York, N.Y., Aug. 25 (By R. P. Clark & Co. Ltd.)—To-day's market again bore a moderate resemblance to the transactions witnessed in the closing days of last week. The most conspicuous was the pressure directed against some of the specialty stocks. Other stocks generally related selling pressure in a rather reassuring manner, suggesting by their tenor a willingness on the part of many to purchase securities on the decline. Such a procedure we deem to be in order as the position of the market has been greatly improved by the liquidation and the expansion in the short interest.

GOOD TRADING IN GRAIN MARKET

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 25 (By R. P. Clark & Co. Ltd.)—Wheat: Export sales reported for the week ending August 23rd turned the tide momentarily at least in favor of the bulls. Liquidation pressure was heavy with lower prices early, but shorts covering freely with some good commission house buying which rallied the market. There is a good export business as we have pointed out before, but the fact remains that receipts also are extremely heavy and that for the next few weeks visible stocks will probably increase. The visible last week increased 746,000 bushels. Spring wheat receipts to increase the market will need a big export business.

At this level wheat is on more debatable ground and is probably in a better position to record a recovery than for some time after the recent down turn. However, we look for a two-sided market and quick bulges will probably meet free selling, while the breaks will run into extensive export buying. This will make a splendid trading market.

Corn: Crop news does not indicate much change in the general position of the crop and some of the experts express doubt if we raise 2,500,000,000 bushels. Unlike wheat and other grains, corn harvest is still a long way off and there is not likely to be much country selling pressure. September corn is strong and the cash market to-day was firm. Receipts were much smaller than a year ago. With market well liquidated, buying of good character and moderate receipts, the market should be bought on.

Oats: This market has been forced down to a sounder price level by extensive liquidation and is in a much healthier speculative position. Visible increased 1,550,000 bushels. Receipts will be large but at this level the price of oats is cheap comparatively and we look for good buying on dips.

Rye: Trade fair with good buying on the dips. Export sales were of a liberal volume. The cash demand was fair locally. France was reported a buyer of our rye. The market looks low enough.

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
May	124.4	125.4	124.2	124.6
July	125.4	126.4	125.2	125.6
Sept.	126.4	127.4	126.2	126.6
Dec.	127.4	128.4	127.2	127.6
Feb.	128.4	129.4	128.2	128.6
May	129.4	130.4	129.2	129.6
July	130.4	131.4	130.2	130.6
Sept.	131.4	132.4	131.2	131.6
Dec.	132.4	133.4	132.2	132.6
Feb.	133.4	134.4	133.2	133.6
May	134.4	135.4	134.2	134.6
July	135.4	136.4	135.2	135.6
Sept.	136.4	137.4	136.2	136.6
Dec.	137.4	138.4	137.2	137.6
Feb.	138.4	139.4	138.2	138.6
May	139.4	140.4	139.2	139.6
July	140.4	141.4	140.2	140.6
Sept.	141.4	142.4	141.2	141.6
Dec.	142.4	143.4	142.2	142.6
Feb.	143.4	144.4	143.2	143.6
May	144.4	145.4	144.2	144.6
July	145.4	146.4	145.2	145.6
Sept.	146.4	147.4	146.2	146.6
Dec.	147.4	148.4	147.2	147.6
Feb.	148.4	149.4	148.2	148.6
May	149.4	150.4	149.2	149.6
July	150.4	151.4	150.2	150.6
Sept.	151.4	152.4	151.2	151.6
Dec.	152.4	153.4	152.2	152.6
Feb.	153.4	154.4	153.2	153.6
May	154.4	155.4	154.2	154.6
July	155.4	156.4	155.2	155.6
Sept.	156.4	157.4	156.2	156.6
Dec.	157.4	158.4	157.2	157.6
Feb.	158.4	159.4	158.2	158.6
May	159.4	160.4	159.2	159.6
July	160.4	161.4	160.2	160.6
Sept.	161.4	162.4	161.2	161.6
Dec.	162.4	163.4	162.2	162.6
Feb.	163.4	164.4	163.2	163.6
May	164.4	165.4	164.2	164.6
July	165.4	166.4	165.2	165.6
Sept.	166.4	167.4	166.2	166.6
Dec.	167.4	168.4	167.2	167.6
Feb.	168.4	169.4	168.2	168.6
May	169.4	170.4	169.2	169.6
July	170.4	171.4	170.2	170.6
Sept.	171.4	172.4	171.2	171.6
Dec.	172.4	173.4	172.2	172.6
Feb.	173.4	174.4	173.2	173.6
May	174.4	175.4	174.2	174.6
July	175.4	176.4	175.2	175.6
Sept.	176.4	177.4	176.2	176.6
Dec.	177.4	178.4	177.2	177.6
Feb.	178.4	179.4	178.2	178.6
May	179.4	180.4	179.2	179.6
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May	324.4	325.4	324.2	324.6
July	325.4	326.4	325.2	325.6
Sept.	326.4	327.4	326.2	326.6
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Sept.	331.4	332.4	331.2	331.6
Dec.	332.4	333.4	332.2	332.6
Feb.	333.4	334.4	333.2	333.6
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July	335.4	336.4	335.2	335.6
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LOST—Lady's purple scarf in business section of town. Phone 5203R. 2224-1-47

LOST, on Tuesday, thirty-five 11 notes. India money. \$20 Bay St. Reward. 1061-1-48

LOST—Sunday, Beacon Hill, two pairs of glasses in case. Phone 7245. Reward. 1093-1-47

LOST—Small brown fur, at Fair, Fri. day night. Phone 16299 or call Humboldt Apartments. Reward, 1109-1-49

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